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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

THE LEGISLATURE.

The General Court of Massachusetts for 1895 assembled at the State House last Wednesday and organized for business.

All the old officers from President of the Senate and Speaker of the House down to the bottom of the pile were re-elected without opposition.

One member of the House was heard to say that the business of the session ought to be finished up in four months, but his remarks fell on unsympathetic ears and he will doubtless think better of it before he has been there long.

NEW LICENSE BOARD.

Jones and Fallon having resigned from the Board of License Commissioners, Mayor Murray, last evening, appointed to fill the vacancy Mr. Jacob M. Ellis and Mr. John I. Munroe.

It was a shrewd move on the part of somebody, but politics is a game in which one must give and take.

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A strong newspaper combine has lately been formed in Lowell. The *Courier* and the *Citizen* have been bought by a company and consolidated, the former to be issued as an evening paper and latter as a morning one, or rather, they are to be the morning and evening editions of the *Courier-Citizen*. Both have been strong, prosperous and influential journals in the past—live, wideawake and Republican to the backbone, and they have now got things fixed in way to make mints of money. Good luck and smooth sailing is our New Year's greeting to the combine.

Alderman Kendall says the Journal is away off the eggs when it saddles the "Big 4," so called, with all the blame for the non-confirmation of Mr. Grant for Registrar of Voters. He assures us that he voted for Mr. Grant at the last meeting, and others of the 4 have done so at various times. All of which we are glad to learn.

The 22d annual meeting and banquet of the Massachusetts Press Association will be held at the United States Hotel in Boston next Wednesday, Jan. 9. A fine programme has been laid out for the after dinner entertainment.

Last Wednesday evening Waltham spoke right out against federation with or annexation to Boston. Only one speaker favored the scheme, and the others were very pronounced in their objections to it.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

J. G. Maguire—Citation, R. Sonerry—Horse Show, J. C. Kane & Co.—Real Estate, O. P. F. & Co.—Real Estate, C. H. Guild & Co.—Watson, C. H. Guild & Co.—Und. Der. Inst. E. T. Ellis—Lost.

James Little is sick.

Read "Cow Lost" in this paper.

Read Wanted by John C. Kane & Co. in this paper.

This has been a pretty cold week after all said and done.

Prof. E. A. Pierce is still under the weather, but improving.

Qualeys Court will give a sacred concert next Sunday evening.

These days have lengthened 7 minutes. Does anyone see the change?

Wahsheen Tribe of Red Men gave a ball last Wednesday evening.

The officers of Brewster Colony, O. P. F., were installed last night.

Groodrich is getting things fixed to keep Winchester cool next summer.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Legg of Cambridge are visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Legg.

The Woburn Encampment, I. O. O. F., will give their next Assembly at Music Hall on Wednesday evening, Jan. 28.

John Fiske, the historian, lectured to a good house at Lyceum Hall last evening.

Of course Hon. E. D. Hayden will be elected President of the Aldermanic Board.

George S. Hudson has vacated College Block and settled down in the Curtis building.

Several anxious souls now tenant City Hall. Nobody knows when lightning will strike.

The father of Mr. John Seaver of California is visiting his son and other relatives here.

Who is to be President of the Common Council? Joe Henry Parker? Or Brown? Or who?

At the official examination the new officers of Company G, "passed muster" in good shape.

D. D. G. M., William F. Davis installed the officers of Mt. Horob Lodge of Free Masons.

Mr. Alvah Buckman and "the boys" are at last comfortably settled in the new store and happy.

Ald-elect Charles J. Quigley is dangerously ill of pneumonia. His physician is Dr. Bartlett.

The High School Battalion Officers' Ball will be held on Friday evening, Jan. 11, in Lyceum Hall.

Mr. John P. Fogg has returned to Limerick, Maine, where he will engage in his old business.

Rev. H. C. Parker will preach at the Home for Aged Women next Sunday, Jan. 6, at 3 P. M.

Representative John Winn of Burlington seems to drop into legislative life naturally and with ease.

Dr. George S. Dodge was seen circulating among his old friends and fellow-towners here last Wednesday.

Deputy Supreme Gov. Dermot of Chelsea installed the officers of Aben-Jona Colony last Wednesday evening.

One of the depot hacks was upset near the express office yesterday noon and the driver had a leg bruised.

Mr. Jones's men worked well in clearing the sidewalks of snow. The walks were the worst ever seen in this city.

Mr. F. E. Lecompte was on from New York to take Christmas dinner with Mrs. Matt Cross and her sister, Miss Lemoine.

The schools resumed work last Wednesday morning after a pleasant holiday season and have bucked right down to business.

Capt. Joseph C. Larock, late of the Woburn Mechanic Phalanx, left here last Wednesday for a fortnight's shooting in Vermont.

Woburn Encampment, No. 72, I. O. O. F., will install officers on the evening of Jan. 8, inst. They are lotting on a nice time.

Gilman F. Jones, of course, will be re-elected Street Commissioner. Very properly the city has granted him a life lease of the office.

Chief of Police McIntosh attended the annual banquet of the Massachusetts Chief of Police Young's, Boston, last Wednesday evening.

The Woburn Firemen's Relief Association will hold their Sixth Annual Ball on Friday evening, Jan. 18, at the Armory on Montvale Ave.

The boys and girls, likewise men and women, have had splendid times skating on Horn Pond for a week past. Ice cutting will soon be in order there.

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Plumber Hooper had all he could attend to last week mending bursted water, steam and other pipes, but no dudens. He was equal to the emergency.

Lots of our college boys were at home during Christmas. The Carters, Browns, Begges, Bucks and others did considerable circulating around while here.

The St. Charles and Woburn polo teams played their second game last evening. On Tuesday evening the Woburn defeated the Stonehams by a score of 3 to 2.

It is reported that Mr. Philip K. A. Richardson stands more than an even chance of being elected City Clerk. He is popular with everyone and would make a good Clerk.

Mr. Gilman F. Jones went to New Hampshire Monday to participate in a family New Year's gathering and returned Tuesday. He is fair to presume he had a good time.

Next week is the "Week of Prayer." The churches will hold evening prayer meetings in their respective houses of worship. See "Meetings of the Week" in the JOURNAL.

Mr. Finn will succeed himself as City Clerk; and the candidates for Clerk of the Common Council and Committees are Charles K. Conn, Martin J. Walsh and John Lynch.

Mrs. M. E. Richardson of Berlin Mills, N. H., a former highly esteemed Woburn lady, sends cordial New Year's greetings to the JOURNAL. Same to yourself, Lady, and many returns.

In the game that played the mischief all around the board last week not less than 17 chimneys were blown down in this city, 9 of them being on Elijah st., over beyond Rag Rock.

The easiest and best thing for the Administration to do is reappoint Mr. Wyman postmaster of Woburn. That would suit the people firstrate. What do you think of it, Brother Stevens?

Both branches of the city government held meetings last evening for the purpose of transferring funds from one department to another. That, it is presumed, wound up their active official lives.

In a racy and readable article headed "Since Hannah Died" the Boston Globe of last Monday evening had a small hit at Woburn's presumption of rusticity. It was about somebody's unkempt promise to lecture on the Common last Sunday, skating on the Frog Pond, and some other sinful things in which an alleged Woburn citizen, green and pious, figured conspicuously. It was quite diverting.

Cunio & Crowe will keep right on selling the best oranges in the market even if the Florida crop is frozen up and cut off. They don't propose to ask all out doors for them either.

Wednesday night and Thursday morning was the coldest of the season. At Wat Brown's it was one above zero. It was 10 below at Wilmington and 7 below of Tewksbury. It seemed like the "good old Colony times."

On last Tuesday evening the officers of Woburn Council of Knights of Columbus for 1895 were duly installed. It is reported that the Council is gaining ground rapidly. It is composed of many of our leading citizens.

The next meeting of the Equal Suffrage League will be held Monday evening, Jan. 7, in Y. M. C. A. parlor at 7:30. The lesson for the evening is Treatment of Crime. All interested are cordially invited to attend.

The Director of the New England Conference of Educational Workers, a Boston Master, paid our schools a high compliment when he selected them to participate in the meeting of Jan. 19. See article in another column.

One reason why everything has gone along in such good shape at Mr. Arthur Wyman's postoffice this week is because Miss Helen Dana Wyman has had her eye on the rudder all the time and a hand on it a part of the time.

Out of town sleighing parties began to show up at the Central House. Landlord McConnell stands in the front door in his shirt sleeves ready to welcome all comers and lead them to heap-ed up tables of choice viands in the dining room.

Mr. Frederic Mariner who is connected with the Virgil Piano School, New York, spent Christmas week with Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Call, Davis st. Mr. Mariner has a wonderful talent, and is considered one of the rising pianists of the day.

Supt. Sewell is obliged to employ horses in breaking out the tracks of this end of the Lynn & Boston line because the Electric Company here do furnish power enough to do it. Wonder if anything is ever going to be done to improve the plant?

At the January meeting of the Woburn Co-operative Bank, to be held on Thursday evening, Jan. 10, the sum of \$8,000 says Secretary Whitcher, will be offered for sale. That round amount will give responsible borrowers a chance to get some money.

The case of Oxford vs. Leathes to recover damages for injuries received at the giving away of the rink stairs in this city a couple of years ago has been on trial in the Superior Court a Cambridge this week. John W. Johnson, Esq., is counsel for Mr. Leathes.

If current reports are at all reliable a good many things will be heard to drop at City Hall as soon as the new administration get fairly seated. It is said that surprises are in store for some of the present officials. Fins will not be disturbed in the City Clerk's office.

Last evening's *Globe* contained a good picture of the old Winn home in Burlington, a sketch of its life of 175 years, and a biographical sketch of John Winn, Esq., its present occupant, who is Representative in the General Court from Burlington this year. It is a fine old place.

The next city government will be inaugurated next Monday, Jan. 7. We look for good things from it all through the year. With an intelligent, level-headed Mayor and good men on both boards no reason can be discovered why public affairs should not be well managed this year.

The will of the late Miss Sabra Carter of Woburn is contested by some of the heirs among whom is Mrs. Alonso T. Young of this city. The case has been on trial in the Superior Court at East Cambridge this week. Chester W. Clarke, Esq., is counsel for the plaintiff.

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Yesterday evening Past Commander S. A. Lawrence of Stoneham installed the new officers of Post 33, G. A. R. After the ceremonies a social season and some good eating were indulged in by the comrades. Post 33 is famous for its hospitality and knowledge of the polite art of entertaining.

Both branches of the City Government of 1894 held meetings last Monday evening and finished up the business of the year. The temporary loan bill was passed, and some other matters attended to. Mayor Murray will feel relieved next Monday when the burdens of his office will be transferred to the shoulders of Mr. Allen.

In the matter of wall paper Mr. Willard Smith has taken time by the forelock as will be seen by his illustrated card in this paper this week. He has recently put in a fine stock of the coming Spring styles which embraces a great variety of patterns and all sorts of quality. Mr. Smith makes a successful specialty of this class of trade.

The young men and boys comprising the choir of the Trinity church, have formed a Choir Guild with the following officers: President, Robert K. Smith; Vice President, John C. Andrews; Secretary, Wm. H. Stevenson; Treasurer, Percyval Lewis; Associate Committee, Thurlow Haskell and Willie Stevenson; Chaplain Rev. S. Marquis.

Some denominations hold "watch meetings," aside from which New Year's is not imbued with any particular religious character nor demands any particular observance. Hence New Year's eve and evening are considered as the time for dancing and other varieties and frivolities; and balls, assemblies and the like usually abound. They did this year.

Presumably Mr. Gilman F. Jones is happy. Because, first, he can boast of witnessing his wife given by Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Holdridge of Davis st. and, secondly, its name is General Mabel Richards of Norwich, Conn., last Monday evening. The time was pleasantly passed with games, vocal and instrumental music. About 10:30 P. M. Belcher, Mrs. Belcher, and Mr. Belcher's son, Murat Halstead and Count Bernstoff of Berlin will treat topics of general interest, and the list of women contributors includes such famous names as Mrs. Henry Ward Beecher, Mrs. Ballington Booth, Grace Dodge, Oliver Thorne Miller, Grace Greenwood, Mary Lowe Dickinson, Kate Upson Clark and Helen Campbell.

The Boston Daily Journal will maintain in 1895 the high standard which has marked its career for the past 61 years. No New Englander should be without this paper, which is better than ever.

From Home for the News. Woburn, like most of our other suburbs, is willing to be federated, but not willing to be annexed. But Boston wants to annex Woburn, and Woburn wants to annex Boston. This is the case with most of our other suburbs, and it is the case with Woburn. Woburn is a good town and it is a good place to live in. Woburn is a good town and it is a good place to live in. Woburn is a good town and it is a good place to live in. Woburn is a good town and it is a good place to live in. Woburn is

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E. THOMPSON, Treasurer.

Woburn, Dec. 25, 1894.

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That Concert.

The Woburn Musical Society gave their first concert in the Congregational church last Friday evening. There were about 800 people present, by whom it was pronounced a complete success. Conductor, F. H. Lewis, recommended on all hands for his excellent work and the proficiency of drill exhibited by the large chorus and Mrs. F. H. Lewis, pianist, come in for much hearty praise.

Following from the pen of a musical expert tells the story of the concert in better shape than we can put it:

"Dwellers in the city are too apt to think that they have no time, during the winter season at least, for concerts, theatres and the like, and that, through dread of late trains and crowding, the public sentiment stays home in a state of hibernation during the cold weather, learning what the can of a musical expert tells the story of the concert in better shape than we can put it."

That such is far from the truth was abundantly proved to the writer, one of the most popular inhabitants of the Hub, at the concert of the Woburn Musical Society, a night or so ago, and was well deserved, it is to say, for the best and most popular concert from a comparatively short period of time.

Woburn has indeed reason to be proud of the work of her musical sons and daughters, and can look forward to the most enjoyable concerts in the future.

As to the first half of the program little need be said, it was, in fact, a good one, and quite noteworthy, though the singing of the quartet was certainly the second, and more important part of the concert, was the singing of "The Holy City." The unfamiliarity of the words to the majority of the audience was a source of great trouble to the conductor, but the result was that the first half of the program was a success.

Remember the meeting of Third District Conference to be held in this city Jan. 18-20. A strong program will be presented.

The annual meeting of Woman's Auxiliary will be held on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the parlor of the Association.

The choir seemed at times rather out of tune, but, particularly early, appearing to depend in the more difficult passages, upon three or four strong voices, in the chorus. Reception was a success. "For those dear old parents" was the part was rather thin—in fact, a divided chorus of this sort is almost sure to lack power, and unless a large proportion of the voices have been considerably trained.

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The final chorus is worked out, and though more voices would have perhaps made it more effective, for a chorus of this size, it was exceedingly well done.

As to the work of the soloist, it was not more than fairly good, though exceptionally well performed in the "Song of the Vikings." The soloist, Mr. George F. Chapman, who will use as his subject: "Whom sayest thou that I am?" You are invited to make one of the number.

The first Sunday of the New Year will be a company of young men gathered in the Hall before the doors before said Court, and by mailing postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons, will be entitled to a sum before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES C. MCINTIRE, Justice of the Peace, this twenty-eighth day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.

S. H. FOLSMAN, Register.

First National Bank, of Woburn.

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of this Bank for the election of Directors and the transaction of business will be held on Tuesday, January 8, 1895, at 7 o'clock p. m.

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I dreamed that Love came knocking At your door in the night. While the specter trees were rocking In a blast of savage blight. "Oh, I perish!" poor Love pleaded, "Open the door, for Love is near me." But the door was closed and he waited. Still no answer would you make; Not one word of sweet repaying. When your lover's eyes were said Even if Love had lain there dying, Even if Love had lain there dead!

Then I dreamed that Love overruled you, For in tenderest voice he cried, "Nay, dear lady, I will feed you, Since you have given me a kiss." And you straightway used your portals With a merry and welcome nod.

To the masquerading gal,

Ah, for Love's but pride's sake,

Yet, O lady, I will reply,

Love soon taught you to say,

—Edgar Fawcett in Century.

DROPPED FROM THE CLOUDS.

How the Race Horse Peytona Won \$800
For Little Miss Lowry.

The caprices of fortune ever constitute a subject for special wonder, but the glorious uncertainties of the turf afford perhaps a wider scope for reflections on the ups and downs of life than almost any other sphere of action. Earl Lowrey, formerly of Pittsburgh, but now of Chicago, tells a story that illustrates this observation very well.

On the evening of the day that Ray El Santa Anita won the American Derby at Washington park Lowrey's little girl, while looking over a programme of the events which he had carelessly left about the house, was struck with the name "Peytona," the name of an entry in the first race of the day. Deeply was she impressed with it that she asked her father to place her savings of small change on Peytona the total amount being \$2, which he agreed to do. On arrival at the park at once discovered that Peytona's chances were not good, so turned to a slim, one lookerman offering \$400 to 1 against her. Lowrey, nothing daunted, placed the \$2 per order, and, in doing so provoked a smile from the man on the block, which so nettled him that he promptly placed \$5 at 40 to 1 for the place. As has so often happened before, Peytona fairly "dropped from the clouds" when the horses were fairly straightened out in the stretch, and to the amazement of every one who won the race with comparative ease, Miss Lowrey's fondness for the name Peytona therefore cost her \$800 in cash, while the horse of which she was \$200 better off for acting as her co-commissioner.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

AMENTS OF WAR.

Archibald Forbes, in an article in Scriber's Magazine, says that the abstract theory of the "aments of war" is preposterous. You strain every effort to reduce your adversary to impotence. He falls wounded, whereupon, should he lie in your hands, you promptly devote all your energies to saving his life and restoring him to health and vigor in order that he may go home and swell the ranks of your enemy. This is no doubt humanity, but it is supremely illogical.

Marbot recounts in his memoirs perhaps the most absurd application ever made of the theory of the "aments of war." In the battle of Austerlitz a body of beaten Russians, about 5,000 strong, strove to escape across the ice on the Satschan lake. Napoleon ordered his artillery to fire on the ice, which was shattered, and men and horses slowly settled down into the depths, only a few escaping by swimming, others being drawn out, from shore by the French.

Next morning Napoleon, riding round the positions, saw a wounded Russian officer clinging to an ice floe 100 yards out and entreating help. The emperor became intensely interested in the succor of the man. After many failures Marbot and another officer stripped and swam out, gradually brought the ice floe toward the shore and laid the Russian at Napoleon's feet.

The emperor evinced more delight at this rescue than he had manifested when assured of victory at Austerlitz. He had in consequence given to the fate of the unfortunate whom his artillery practice of the day before had sent to their death.

The Story of a Belle Shown at Turin.

Visitors to Turin who have seen the celebrated Chapel of St. Ludena, which adjoins the Royal palace, must have noticed on one of the altars a glass shade under which is placed a relic as a testimony of a miracle wrought. This relic is from Scotland, "aye" by Moseches. Harley appears to have been an early friend of the Darnley family, and it was probably to his interest that Darnley owed the production of his plays at the St. James' theater, which happened while Harley was stage manager there.

Moscheles' Misalliance.

The German servant girl in Chicago who has married an Americanized Chinaman may not regret her act, as the Celestial is usually said to make a kind husband. Girls of her class usually where to go, and in a strange country is guided by certain general principles. Where fern and bracket grow, where furze is plentiful, where there are reeds and rushes, wherever the land is moist and sour, it is hopeless to expect trifles. They love a light soil and yet never attain any size or perfection on poor soil. By far the greatest quantity are obtained from the shade of beech and oak trees, and fine specimens are found under the cedar, especially in ravines and grottoes where the land has been well trampled. The lime is another good tree for them, and so is the evergreen oak. In France the oak is their favorite tree. Early in the season—that is to say, in September and October—quantities are to be obtained on the roadside (sometimes in ground so hard it would need a pickax to open it) on railway embankments and on the outside of cosses and covers. Later, when leaves have fallen and the sun is able to penetrate glade and thicket, the inside buds are most productive. They do not come under very young trees and disappear entirely from old woods.

Hunting in Great Britain.

Although a good number of those whose apparent desire it is to capture or destroy the sports and amusements of others would have it otherwise, it is a fact that hunting, whether of stag fox or hare, is in a more flourishing condition at the present moment than it ever was before. There are now no fewer than 22 packs of staghounds in the United Kingdom, 188 of foxhounds and nearly 200 of harriers and beagles, while in each succeeding year followers of hounds get more numerous until it has actually become a serious question with some masters. How can we turn down our efforts?

The cub hunting season, which is practically over, has, excepting with the fox, been scarcely a success as usual, owing to the dry state of the ground and consequent lack of scent, but the great desideratum was rain, and now that we have had that in abundance the prospects of the regular season are rosy.—London Telegraph.

Munkacy's Customer.

It is not generally known that the first patron of Michael Munkacy, known to the world as the painter of "Christ Before Pilate," was an American, a gentleman from Philadelphia, who passed through Dusseldorf when Munkacy was a young and struggling artist. The American became convinced that the young Hungarian's pictures had merit. He bought one, took it to Paris and sent it to the salon, where it was promptly placed and attracted a great deal of attention.

The West End.

Why is it that in most of the cities of the world fashion makes its home in the northwestern quarter? Why is it that the "west end" is so often the aristocratic section of the city and "east side" and "south side" so often the residence of the poorer classes? It is a fact, and there is a prevailing cause for it. It is that the winds of the earth are northwesterly, and their tendency is to blow the dust, smoke and odors of a city to its eastern or southern side. This makes the opposite quarter the more desirable for residence.—Philadelphia Press.

An Awful Threat.

"John," said Mrs. Bossman, "if I am ever in bed, if you don't turn the light down, the first thing you know is that I'll wake up and die."

"D'ohay!" said Mr. Bossman. "The light won't wake him."

The prospect was too appalling. He quickly did as he was bid.—Cincinnati Tribune.

General Booth, asked by a newspaper interviewer, "Do you think the millennium will come if the whole world is converted to the Salvation Army?" replied: "It would be very near at hand. If the newspaper men were converted, it would be a very long step in that direction." —Ram's Horn.

GOOD AND BAD LUCK.
The Influence May Be Determined by the Law of Probabilities.

A great deal of sophistry has been wasted, in vain attempts to prove that there is no such thing as luck, good or bad; that nothing happens by chance, all results coming from some definite cause. Even though the latter statement could be proved or should be admitted, it would not preclude the existence of luck to the individual.

That which seems favorable or unfavorable to him, from a cause beyond his control, is good luck, and there is no doubt that luck plays some part in the history of everyone, but it is of much less importance than the idle or indifferent. The individual may or may not take advantage of the fortuitous circumstances or luck which he meets. His industry, his boldness, his character, a thousand qualities of mind or person. Moreover, as one cannot control luck, the important thing in life is to prepare oneself to meet it and turn to some account. Those who lay themselves open to the gods, and have no seven attack of St. Vitus' disease. She becomes fearfully nervous and run worse, and is taken by fits, caused by a severe attack of St. Vitus' disease. She is sold by the New England News Co., 14-20 Franklin Street, Boston; and by S. Horton, Woburn.

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LITERARY NOTICES.

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Text of the Lesson, Mark vi, 17-29—Memory Verses, 36-38—Golden Text, Math. x, 28—Commentary by the Rev. D. M. Stearns.

17. "For Herod himself had sent forth and laid hold upon John and bound him in prison for Herod

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LULLABY.

Dear little girl, good night, good night.

The pretty birds in their nests are still.

We send you the sun as we send the light.

Two stars have come since the day light went.

"Way over there is the sky's dark blue.

To watch my baby when night through,

Dear little girl, good night, good night.

Thee hear the frogs in the meadow call.

They croak and croak in the evening light.

Down in the pond by the shore wall.

I think you will like to sleep now.

Never to fear, though the world is dark.

They know the firefly lights the hours.

All night long with his cheery glow!

Dear little girl, good night, good night.

—May Hayden Taylor in Good Housekeeping.

A SAILOR'S REVENGE.

Bella Mallison's troubles were the result of certain eventualities. She was very pretty and had many lovers. These follow in the natural order of things. Her father, old Tom Mallison, had been a coasting skipper; his crew were composed of unsavory scoundrels; he had fallen on evil times and drifted silently down the ebbtide of his existence, mindful of what had been and striving to act well by his girl.

So pretty Bella came to be tall, slight and gracefully rounded, looked 20, though barely 17. She was a pretty, flushed, dark-haired British girl, who could row her father's skiff or stand her lover's chaff with easy grace.

Matters went smoothly enough until Dick Hathaway stepped in and gained the girl's promise. He was a tall, bright-faced, healthy fellow of 25 or thereabouts and skipper of the ketch Sultan, a craft peculiar to the lower Thames, trading mainly with the home ports.

One night shortly after their engagement the two were sitting in the dusk of the twilight talking of the future which lay so bright before them. Only one figure loomed dark across their horizon—Bill Hanson, a youth whose lover's attentions Bella had persistently discouraged.

But the glamour of love and the witchery of the girl's presence at her fears when she told him so.

"Don't you trouble your pretty head about Bill Hanson, Bella," Dick whispered as he strained her to him, kissing her good night. "I must go now, dear. We're sailing at 12 o'clock, and if Bill Hanson says anything to you just let me know, and I'll—"

"Hush! Oh, Dick, what's that?"

A face glared in upon them standing in the fireplace—a dark face framed in the window-pane—indistinct, vanishing, then—

Crash! The window fell, splintered into a thousand fragments.

Dick's face was dark with anger as he strove to free himself from the clinging, frightened girl. But when at last he got outside he was too late. The street lay vacant and deserted.

For tonight or so after this Bella was coming home through the blaring streets from a spell of Saturday night's shopping. It was a raw, wet evening, and as the girl hurried along, turning into the quieter streets, she heard footfalls behind her. They blundered steadily on until she came to a narrow passage half-flooded, but a short cut to her home. Pausing, she cast a furtive glance over her shoulder, then darted to take the cut. Before she had traversed many yards she heard the footsteps quicken. Slackening her pace, she stepped suddenly into the shadow of an archway, hoping her pursuers would pass in the gloom. But in another moment he had halted abruptly before her.

"What cheer, Miss Mallison?" cried a voice, which she directly recognized as Bill Hanson's.

"Oh, how you did frighten a body!" cried Bella, quickly proceeding on her way.

"Stop, Bella!" cried the other. "You didn't used to be frightened of me—now, did you?"

"I didn't know 'twas you."

"Are you sorry it's me?"

"I ain't glad," returned the girl.

"Bella," answered the man, "is it true what I hear about Dick Hathaway?"

"I don't know what you heard."

"Yes, you do, Bella, you know it as well as I do, and yet you chuck me over same as if I was only a dawg."

"I never gave you no time to talk to me," said the girl with a smile. "You've been drinking again, Bill Hanson."

"Drinking, have I? Yes, I have. Here nor a drop too. What's more, I've drove me to it."

"I never encouraged you, I'm sure," said Bella.

"No, you never did. That's where it sticks. It's me as did the loving. It's me as did the blooming dawg, dangling after your pretty footlets. It's me as did it all. Chuck Dick Hathaway, Bella. Chuck him and take me on."

"I love Dick," returned Bella.

"You mean what you say?"

"Yes, I do."

"And I can go hang?"

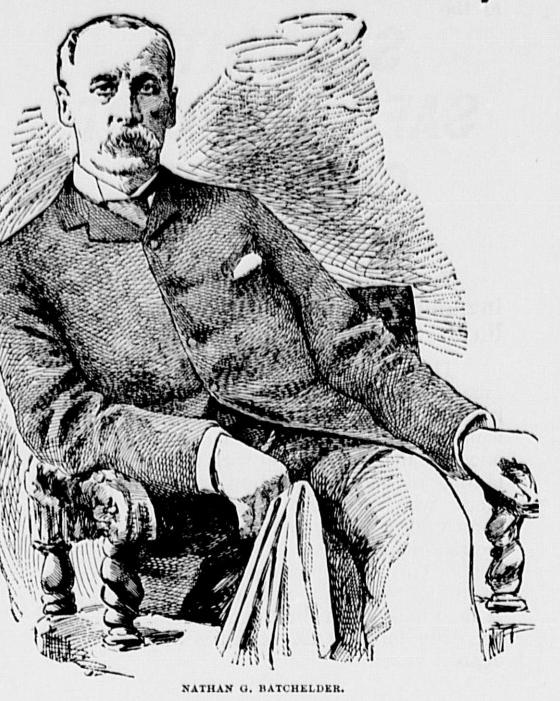
"Oh, I never said it!"

"No, but you meant it. Well, I'm off. It's wrote I can go hang!"

He turned on his heel as he spoke and left her to hurry home, trembling, alone. For a time no more was seen of Hanson, but a rumor told how he was to be met nightly at the bar of the Golden Scorpion, a gin palace of preposterous radiance at the corner of High street. Early in the new year the Sultan started again, with Dick Hathaway as skipper, on a trip to Folkestone, this time with a cargo of coal and pretty Bella—

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

THE CITY SOLICITOR.

One of the best features of the election of Edward H. Lounsbury, Esq., to the office of City Solicitor, it is believed, was the expression of an honest preference for a worthy aspirant and was free from political温情 and double dealing so far as he or his supporters were concerned. It proved necessary to show that it was a business and not a political election the vote, and especially its analysis, furnishes it. He was the choice of men who were conscientiously acting for what they considered the best interest of the city and in deciding the question they made no mistake.

Friday evening of last week the Board of Aldermen elected Mr. Lounsbury by a good working majority over Mr. Curran, the present incumbent of the office. On Monday evening the Common Council finished the good work by casting 8 ballots for him and 3 for Mr. Curran. City Solicitor Lounsbury will take possession of the office Feb. 4.

Edward H. Lounsbury, son of the late Colonel William H. Lounsbury, was born in Cambridge, Mass., on Oct. 7, 1862, and came to Woburn with his family when 12 years old. Passing through our public schools he graduated from the Woburn High School in 1873, at the age of 17 years. He graduated from Harvard University in 1884; was a member of Class '93 of the Harvard Law School; admitted to the Suffolk County Bar in 1883; and was thus authorized to practice in all Courts of the Commonwealth.

At the close of a year's teaching in New Hampshire Mr. Lounsbury accepted the position of Principal of the Cummings Grammar School in this city and after 4 years of eminently successful and satisfactory service there closed his connection with it in 1890. Prior to 1893 he was Clerk of Committees of the Woburn City Council, and in that year was elected City Clerk, in which office his work was highly appreciated.

This in brief is E. H. Lounsbury, Esq., Woburn's new City Solicitor. He is intellectual, cultivated, and as the old State statutes used to put it, "learned in the law." Mr. Lounsbury is a gentleman of strict integrity and enjoys in a high degree the confidence and respect of his fellow citizens. There can be no doubt but that he will fill the office of City Solicitor with credit to himself and to the entire satisfaction of the people whom he was elected to serve.

A COUNTY LICENSE COMMISSION.

Some men who have thought considerably on the subject have expressed an opinion that if the power to grant liquor licenses and their subsequent regulation could be vested in the hands of a County Board of three Commissioners to be appointed by the Governor pernicious ward politics would be deprived of their principal instrument for the corruption of public officials and the rum traffic of some at least of its opportunities and facilities for doing harm.

The idea seems to be a good one. It is practical, and the arguments adduced in support of it are sound. Take the case of Woburn. The workings of our License Commission have not met the expectations of those who favored its creation. It has not taken the rum question out of politics; on the other hand it has given the ward politicians additional weapons with which to prosecute their annual guerrilla warfare. We need not particularize—the failure of the scheme is clearly apparent to everyone.

With a County Commission it would be different. They would have no motive to cater to the warring factions. The Commissioners being appointed by the Governor would be independent of local political influences, and the license question could by no possibility out a figure in our city elections.

As the people at present in authority in this city are talking of a change in this branch of the government why would it not be a good plan for them to take up this question of a County Liquor Commission and examine into it?

To be sure we have a good Board at the present time. The members are competent and honest; but this may not always be the case—probably will not be—and any suggestion calculated to improve the system is worthy of consideration.

BIENNIAL ELECTIONS.

If there is any truth in the rumors that the present Legislature is disposed to give some heed to the popular demand for biennial elections and Legislatures in this State it shows that the mass is beginning to peel from the backs of the life members and that the new ones have some idea of what the demand means and are disposed to yield to it. The only danger is that Boston dinners, wine suppers, theatres and bawtry will turn the heads of the fresh set of Solons and that they, by the time the matter comes up for consideration, will change into mousiebacks and thwart the will of the people by their votes. Boston clings to annual sessions of the Legislature like death to a dead body, because there is money in it, and she may manage to get the question postponed a year or two longer. But it is bound to come, for the people have willed it.

We are informed, indirectly of course, that if there is one thing more than another that Mayor Allen is bent on pushing through during his administration it is a change in our city charter that will include among several other things the abolition of the Common Council. The small coterie who are honored with his confidence say he has set his heart on the accomplishment of the reform, if reform it would be, and those who appreciate his personal energy and courage believe he will succeed. Our charter needs reforming in several other respects, and it is fair to presume that Mayor Allen will, in due time pay his regards to the subject.

FMR. John P. Delaney, who is an aspirant for the position, received a despatch from Congressman Stevens Wednesday evening which informed him that no appointment for the Woburn postoffice had yet been made, but that probably one would be made this week. From another source it is learned that possibly the matter will remain in statu quo ante-sellum until after March 4, when the duty of making the appointment would fall on Congressman Knox. It is a very pretty contest the way it stands.

LATER.—At 12:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, Jan. 17, 1895, Mr. Arthur W. Whitcher, druggist, received a dispatch from Mr. Hyde of the Boston Custom House informing him of the appointment of Mr. Timothy Haggerty postmaster of Woburn. Mr. Whitcher posted a bulletin to that effect and lost no time in spreading the news throughout the city. Mr. Haggerty, 14 years connected with the Boston postoffice, is the man.

FOURTH What ails the bank cashiers? There appears to be an embarking epidemic among them at the present time. New Hampshire has it bad. Hardly a day passes that we do not hear or read of a big steal by some bank official and his escape to Canada or suicide.

FOURTH We think the Common Council acted wisely when they changed the time of holding their regular meetings from Thursday to Monday. It accommodates better all round.

FOURTH Senator George F. Hoar was triumphantly re-elected U. S. Senator by the Massachusetts Legislature last Tuesday. He is a great man.

FOURTH Frye of Maine and Chandler of New Hampshire were re-elected U. S. Senator by the United States Senate last Tuesday. Tuesday was a Republican day.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

Congressional Fair—Miss M. C. Abbott, Miss S. Bancroft—Hair, Cecilia Society—Concert, J. E. Tidmarsh—Sales, Osborn Gillette—Jewelry, D. C. G.—Antique, Ranney & Clark—Mort. Sale.

Valley Association ball Jan. 25.

Mr. Alex Ellis is getting about again in good shape.

John Seaver of California is visiting his sons in this city.

Capt. Larock is back from a month's visit in Vermont.

A good house on Academy Hill is advertised for rent in this paper. Also a fine 2-horse sled for sale.

Mr. George S. Hudson, Boston Herald reporter, will soon move into more commodious quarters.

Mr. H. M. Call is going to move his printing office on to Walnut street. That will be nice and handy.

Miss Mary McGolgan, Miss Kitty McGolgan and Miss Mary Haggerty have gone to Aiken, S. C., for the winter.

Mrs. L. H. Newhall of Fairfield, Maine, and Mrs. T. Bolkom of Boston, visited friends in Woburn last Wednesday.

Read the card of Miss S. Bancroft in this issue of the JOURNAL. She is a reliable lady; does good work, and does it cheap.

Several members of Post 33, G. A. R., attended the flag presentation at Stoneham by Post 75 to Co. H. 7th Regt.

As usual Supt. Brockway kept his N. W. S. R. cars running in good shape during the snow storm last Wednesday.

Miss C. Mabel Beaman, who has been engaged for the Cecilia Society concert on Jan. 29, is one of Boston's best violinists.

Last Tuesday Mrs. Susan T. Converse was on our streets the second time since last November. Illness has kept her at home.

A small but very select band of Salem street people are making a study of evolution as laid down by Darwin, Drummond and others.

Miss Ada Carter will preside at the Pitcher, instead of the Art, table of the Congregational Fair, Jan. 23, 24, as stated in our last week.

Miss Edith Ramsdell, the well known and popular elocutionist, will read several selections at the concert of the Cecilia Society on Jan. 19.

The buffers at the factory of James Skinner & Co.'s have been on a strike. The firm wanted the men to do a strike. The firm wanted the men to do so is going down there after it.

Belcher's icecream is the capsheep. It goes away ahead of anything in this part of the country. This is one reason why there is such a demand for it for parties, dances, society affairs, and for private consumption. Belcher is the boss caterer in Middlesex County and nobody in Boston goes ahead of him.

There was quite a fire at Winchester last Tuesday evening. Mr. Blank's curving shop was consumed by the devouring element. Their fire-alarm down their sounds so much like the tolling of a funeral bell that our people who heard it didn't know but that all Winchester had suddenly kicked the bucket.

According to Chief of Police McIntosh's annual report there were 3092 lobbies, meaning tramps and people seeking work, cared for at the city jail during 1894. That would be an average of between 8 and 9 a day for the 365 days. Looked at from an every day standpoint or by the lump the item contains food for reflection.

The Firemen's Relief Association will give their annual ball in the Armory this evening. The supper, which will be served in the house of Gilcrease Hook & Ladder Company, will be furnished by Belcher, the boss caterer, and will be a fine one. He is all ready to lay out one of the best spreads ever seen in Woburn.

Chief of Police McIntosh has become an active member of the Amphi Club and will sing with it at the next concert in this city. Those who know about his musical abilities say the club has secured a valuable acquisition in him. We doubt if there is another in the Commonwealth which can boast of a professional vocalist at the head of its piano force.

A despatch from Davenport, Iowa, conveys the important intelligence that Mr. Warren Teel, President of the Iowa Groundhog Association, busily engaged preparing his Annual Message to the Association and denies himself to all visitors. President Teel will suggest in his Message several changes in the modus operandi of the Association and insist on many reforms. It is realized by him that the prophetic machinery of the Iowa Groundhog has been out of gear several years, to correct which will be the burden of his song in the document now being prepared at the Chief Executive's headquarters in the Hawkeye State.

We have received a copy of the Tufts College Catalogue for 1894-5, in which we find the name of John Jules French, the only Woburn representative among the undergraduates.

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The rooms of the Liquor License Board will not wear their present quiet and serene aspect about next May, neither will the Commissioners feel so contented and happy as they now seem to be.

We shall not be at all surprised if Martin, the Assistant Supt. of Streets, gets to be full boss. The vote the other night showed that Mr. Jones would have gone in with a rush if he hadn't declared a re-election.

The Officers and Staff of Charles Bowes Wynn Camp of Sons of Veterans have had their pictures taken en uniform by a Boston artist who succeeded in bringing out the likeness of the boys in fine style.

Mr. Cunio of the firm of Cunio & Crowe, fruit dealers, says there are heaps of frozen Florida oranges in Boston, but purchasers of the fruit need not be taken in with the frost-bitten ones.

Modern inventions for the benefit of lazy men are many and unique. The latest one that has fallen under our observation is a semi-self-earning ladder at Mr. Alvah Buckman's shoemore. It seems to be constructed on the principle of hoist yourself by your own suspenders, or something like it, and for a lazy man's use it must be invaluable. Mr. Marcus H. Cotton, salesman, enjoys it hugely.

Queer how things go. Tim horns have long been a regular feature in Independence Day celebrations, or in the ushering in of that glorious old Day, and now they have become a fixed and universally recognized annex to all well regulated sleighing parties. No such party is complete without its complement of horns, and the midnight din which they make is often tremendous.

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During our stock taking we have called out our short length remnants and odd pieces of goods and shall place them on sale Monday January 14.

These goods are from nearly every department of our store and we believe it an excellent opportunity to purchase necessary and desirable goods.

We have a number of Ladies and Misses outside garments your choice of them 2 dollars.

Ladies Fur Capes Capes at a discount from former prices.

Dress goods very low.

Hankiechiefs wrinkled and cut of order but just as good as ever.

New Table Linens, Napkins, Towels and Crashes.

New Hamburg edgings offered at low prices.

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Call and see the assortment of

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—AT THE—

WOBURN STOVE STORE.**Tin Roofing Gas Piping****V. M. C. A.**

REPORTED BY THE GEN. SECRETARY.

Triangle pins for sale at the office.

All sessions of the Conference are open to the public.

There were fifty boys present at their meeting last Sunday.

One who is interested has sent us a number of illustrated papers for the reading room.

Boys, remember over forty memberships have expired, and that after this month the cost of a membership will be fifty cents.

The Finchburg Y. M. C. A. building was dedicated Jan. 1. It cost with lot \$90,000. There are stores on the ground floor and dormitories on the fifth floor.

Young men remember the preparatory service in the parlor next Sunday morning at 9 o'clock. Mr. George A. Payne, the Secretary of the Winchester Y. M. C. A., will lead.

The public already understands that we are trying to increase our library. We have now over 400 books, the last additions being copies of "The Cross in the Cell," and "The Sunset Land."

Members of the Women's Auxiliary should avail themselves of the opportunity to hear Mrs. F. W. Towle of Charlestown next Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the Congregational church vestry.

The attendance at the Bible Class is increasing. The third meeting will be next Monday evening at 7 o'clock. Lesson, first part Sunday School lesson; Second half. The excuse—I will some time but not now.

A mistake was made last week in the names of the persons who should receive the membership fees from members of the Auxiliary and below will be found the corrected list. For the Baptist church, Mrs. M. C. Stearns; Methodist, Mrs. G. M. Andrews; and Congregational, Mrs. Eliot White.

The second of the series of the prize contests for boys will be postponed for one week and the boys meeting next Sunday will be in charge of delegates to the Conference. The following boys have entered the contest: Carl Duncan, Walter Hartstone, Raymond Philbrick, Everett Frazer, Tommy Longridge and Max Madson.

There will be held in the Y. M. C. A. rooms next Tuesday evening Jan. 22, a social at which Prof. Bernhard Schroeder of the Boston School of Languages will be present and entertain those present with readings and recitations from the German language. Those interested in and perusing this study are especially invited to be present at 8 o'clock.

Can you not plan to attend some of the following services?

Saturday Morning, Jan. 19. CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH PARLOR.

10:00 Devotional Service, Rev. W. C. Barrows, Woburn.

10:30 Biblical Reading, J. E. Nourse, Watertown.

11:15 Essential Elements in Training Class, Rev. James G. Miller, Boston.

12:00 New Year's Concert, Dr. George Lewis, College Secretary.

Saturday Afternoon CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

2:00 Praise and Prayer Service, Louis J. Goodwin, Woburn.

2:30 Influence of Work of the Auxiliaries, Rev. James G. Miller, Boston.

3:00 Successful Work Committee on Individual Responsibility, Committee Men, W. W. Orr, Harvard University.

3:30 Best Methods for Boys, Rev. R. C. Goodwin, Cambridge.

4:00 How we can help the Young Men of our Church, Rev. H. N. Ackerman, West Medford.

4:30 Question Drawer, SUNDAY EVENING, CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

7:30 Praise Service, Samuel Miller, Waltham.

8:00 How to send God the Spirit of His Love, Rev. James G. Miller, Boston.

SPECIAL SUNDAY SERVICES.

9:00 A. M. Preparatory Service, Rev. Y. M. C. A. Rooms.

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3:00 Boys' Rally at Y. M. C. A. Rooms.

4:00 Boys' Mass Meeting in Congregational Vestry in charge of Mr. Frank D. Dinkin, Secretary of the Union.

6:00 Boys' Mass Meeting in Congregational Vestry, Mr. A. D. Dinkin, Director of Boys' Mass Meeting.

7:00 Boys' Mass Meeting in the Congregational Church, Addressed by Mr. Alex. Miller and various delegates.

A Lewiston (Me.) Man.

A recent issue of the Lewiston, Maine, Journal contained a long article headed "How an Adelphi Girl Lived" about Mr. Erion R. Chadrbonneau who married Miss Lillian G. Walker, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Walker of this city, also of Lewiston. At one time, it is said, Miss Walker was a successful teacher in our public schools, and is still kindly remembered by many of her old friends and pupils here. The *Journal* said in its editorial: "Mrs. Chadrbonneau is a woman of rare refinement and scholarly attainments and does great assistance to her husband in his work."

The "work" to which the Down East editor refers is of a kind that the moment must have had a good quality of brains and a plenty of them to spring from and work with, for, unique as it was all the time comprising new fields. But it must be remembered that Mr. Chadrbonneau is a printer, and likewise that there is always a printer's ingenuity and intellectual resources.

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If Senators Gorman and Hill be encouraged to keep up their skirmish on the floor of the Senate, we may yet have the daylight let in upon some interesting party secrets.

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If an adverse vote could force the resignation of an American President, resident Cleveland would stay at the Congregational church next Sunday.

Mr. Arthur H. Russell of Elm street has leased the estate of the late General John M. Corse.

It's much to be regretted that the Brownie surrenders of the two Japanese students to the Chinese torturers is as lame as all his other numerous apologies. The blood of the youths is on his head.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

A POLICE COMMISSION.

A petition has been forwarded to the Legislature for a Police Commission in Woburn. Senator Burns was to have presented it yesterday or Wednesday, so reports said, and for aught we know did so.

The true inwardness of the movement is the abolition of Woburn's present Board of Liquor License Commissioners and to substitute for it another which shall transfer the power of appointing the members from the Mayor to the Governor. The real object sought by the petitioners is too apparent to deceive anyone, and its origin is a matter of general notoriety.

But then Woburn is suffering for a Police Commission and must have one regardless of expense. With 15,000 inhabitants and 7 policeman it is not seen how she can do business much longer without State control. To be sure Fall River had hard work to get one last year principally on the score that was not big enough, but then Fall River isn't Woburn.

To a disinterested observer it looks as though a better scheme would be to clothe our present License Board with additional power and give them full control over the rum traffic. At present the Board may only grant and revoke licenses and have no authority to enforce the laws against the unlicensed sale of intoxicating drinks.

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BY THE PEOPLE.

One city of the second class in this State is about to ask the Legislature for authority to elect its Collector, Treasurer and Clerk by ballot of the people. Some others, if we have not been misinformed, are considering the advisability of such a step with a strong probability of taking it.

Sound reasons are not wanting to sustain the proposition that these officers, and perhaps some others, should be elected by the voters of the city instead of the City Council. It is generally conceded that the farther the office-creating power is removed from the hands of the people just so much less is felt the responsibility to them, and to the extent that that responsibility is lessened is the public danger increased.

As Mayor Allen is contemplating an early move towards a recall of the Woburn City Charter would it not be wise in him to consider this subject instead of the City Council? It is generally conceded that the farther the office-creating power is removed from the hands of the people just so much less is felt the responsibility to them, and to the extent that that responsibility is lessened is the public danger increased.

Mr. Frank C. Nichols is making a large addition to his icehouses. Next to plumping, the ice trade is considered the most profitable business that a man can go into. But there is this about Nichols deals fair with the people—and so does Goodrich.

The annual meeting of the Corporation of the Woburn Home for Aged Women will be held in the Directors Room of the Five Cents Savings Bank at 2:30 o'clock of Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 5. Officers of the ensuing year will be elected, reports submitted, etc.

The sixth annual ball of the Woburn Firemen's Relief Association at the Armory last Friday evening was a very fine affair. Calmar's orchestra furnished excellent music, and a large and handsomely dressed company occupied the floor. It was also a gratifying success financially.

A few months ago Robert Hughes came from Atlanta, Ga., He walked the whole distance except 40 miles and was 4 months making the journey. Getting homesick he started back for Atlanta last Tuesday with only \$1.75 in his pocket and expected to make the trip in the best of style.

The funeral of Mrs. Carton, mother of Conductor Richard Carton of the B. & M. Railroad, and James H. Carton, will take place this morning. She was 86 years old and had lived in Woburn 40 years. She was one of the oldest persons in this city, and a lady highly esteemed.

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Concert of Cecilia Society, Jan. 29, at 8 o'clock, p. m., sharp.

Major A. Bancroft's P. C. received the writing thereof duly noted.

For a month we have had nothing but splendid winter weather—sunshine and bracing.

By reading a card "Wanted" in this paper a lively American boy can learn something to his advantage.

It is expected that the old Saw factory at Montvale will be used for the manufacture of patent leather.

Splitting will begin with a rush at the Loring tannery in a few days. This will be good news for the workers.

Woburn Post, 161, G. A. R., will give a Minstrel entertainment some time in the last part of February or first of March.

Mrs. Clara N. Fogg of Maine, lately one of the "Harvard Annex Girls," visited friends in this city last Wednesday.

Mrs. Louis Foncar, who has been confined to the house for several weeks with a tedious cold, was able to attend church Sunday.

It reaches our ears from all quarters that the forthcoming Cecilia concert (Jan. 29) is going to be the musical event of the winter.

Rev. Mr. Alger and wife of North Woburn are suffering with a severe attack of the grippe, and Mrs. Shaw, their daughter, with pneumonia.

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The Weather Bureau undertakes to beat Mr. Gilman F. Jones, Superintendent of streets in this city, in the matter of sleighing it has to get up early and hustle. Take for example last Wednesday. The Bureau had destroyed pretty much all the sleighing at the Centre. Mr. Jones didn't approve of it, so what did he do? He just set his highway gangs and horses at it hauling snow back onto the streets and by 4 o'clock in the afternoon we had better sleighing than was ever before seen in Woburn.

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During our stock taking we have called out our short length remnants and odd pieces of goods and shall place them on sale Monday January 14.

These goods are from nearly every department of our store and we believe it an excellent opportunity to purchase necessary and desirable goods.

We have a number of Ladies and Misses outside garments your choice of them 2 dollars.

Ladies Fur Capes at a discount from former prices.

Dress goods very low.

Hankiechiefs wrinkled and out of order but just as good as ever.

New Table Linens, Napkins, Towels and Crashes.

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REPORTED BY THE GEN. SECRETARY.

There were between fifty and sixty delegates from the surrounding towns at the conference.

The fourth regular meeting of the Bible Training Class will be held next Monday evening, Jan. 28, at 7 o'clock.

The publishers of *The Maple Leaf* of Everett, N. B., have very kindly donated the paper to our Reading Room for one year.

The second in the series of Price Contests will be held next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Any boy under 16 admitted.

Our library was again remembered last week by a friend who presented us with a copy of "The Record of a Happy Life."

The publishers of the well known magazine *The Arena* have very kindly agreed to lend it to our reading room.

Boys who are members of the Junior Department can secure tickets for the Saturday night rally by calling on the General Secretary.

Only seven more days for boys to secure a membership ticket for one year for twenty-five cents. On Feb. 1, the price will be doubled.

The members of the Woman's Auxiliary, who had a Delightful meeting in the Y. M. C. A. Parlor next Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

We desire through these columns to pass through one of two doorways. They are triple. The outer one is built of steel, a single layer of polished steel, a sheet of plate glass covering the inside lock mechanism on the inside surface. Hero wonderful chronometers control a motor, which, at a touch, opens a small hatchway, and the door is fast until 9 o'clock, next morning, when the clock-work releases the powerful spring which drives the bolts. By means of these two doors is saved time, but there are two others of steel grill work. Even if these two should break in collision, the company can easily repair them, and surprise everyone what is going on.

Inside are the 800 boxes, ranging from the great safes hired by railroad corporations to the small safe into which two or three papers can be pushed.

Outside there are convenient rooms for the use of customers. And there is a same room, open to the public, for bronze and magnificent mahogany for general use.

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary will be held next Tuesday afternoon, Jan. 29, at 3 o'clock, at the Woburn Stove Store, Frank should be made for Feb. 22.

On Saturday evening of this week there will be held for the boys in the Junior Department a meeting at which will be given the rules of the convention at Chelsea by the boys who attended. Every boy who is a member will be present.

The words of State Secretary Armstrong last Sunday night at the Union Service, prove very plainly that some one or more persons appreciate the need of a strong and efficient police force in the city of Woburn, and there are many others who are ready to help as soon as the ball is set rolling.

About Police.

Last week the Boston Journal, with characteristic enterprise set about collecting expert testimony as to the best system of police control in the cities of this State—whether that now in vogue or State supervision, or the present system of judges of police, Chancery Courts, and other like tribunals.

Perhaps slightly modified. As far as detective work is concerned, we always have the cheerful co-operation of the District Police, Col. Whitney, who takes hold of our cases, and the Mayor and Aldermen of Boston, that no bad feeling or jealousy is ever manifested by the police departments work harmoniously with him invariably. The efficiency of this force leaves nothing to be desired in the direction of detective work."

"Now, Mr. Littlefield, how do you think the other police departments handle their departments, as far as patrol duty and prevention of crime, can be best improved?"

"Speaking from a long experience in police matters, an association with the administrative arm of the service, we believe the efficiency of a police department can be regulated and maintained under local sole government. In my own town, Winchester, we have ample protection, and the citizens have always shown a disposition to bear the necessary expense and adequate force."

The Metropolitan Police Service, sent out into our borders, and police will be necessary to protect our territory. These will, of course, be under control of the Metropolitan Commission. The time is not far distant when the police force may have solved this problem. It may be five, and perhaps 10 years, but in my judgment, and perhaps 10 years, but in my judgment, the time is sure to come, and until that time I should not advocate any new method of police control for this district."

"I would like to see the police force, as far as possible, removed from the control of the City Government, and given to the State, so that they might be more easily controlled, and that no advantage might be derived from a metropolitan control free from any local influences. He believed that the police service in Woburn was excellent and did not think an exigency could call for any arbitrary change of system. He thought the subject a weighty one and presumed much could be said on both sides of the question.

On general principles he thought local control preferable.

Library Notices.

The February number of HARPER'S MAGAZINE is a prime one from all points of view. Its literary contents are fresh, readable and instructive, while its illustrations are numerous and very fine. HARPER'S sturdily maintains its supremacy in the field of magazine literature and leads all others in the quality of reading which it furnishes every month to its thousands of intelligent readers.

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Buy Savena, save the wrappers, take your choice from the new list of 100 premiums.

Special Notice!**TO PURCHASERS:**

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Boston Theatres.**THE BOSTON.**

Mr. Wilson Barrett, the earnest and able English actor, will come to the Boston Theatre next week in "The Manxman," his own dramatization of Hall Crane's novel. Mr. Barrett's impersonation of the hero Pete Quaid is said to be the most complete piece of acting that he has done. Miss Maud Jeffries, a great Boston favorite, is in the company. Mr. Barrett has selected for the cast some of the best actors in the profession and the coming engagement will be the theatrical events of the season. "Rust City" a most amusing play will be seen tonight and twice tomorrow.

THE BOWDOIN SQUARE.

"Prodigal Daughter" will be the attraction at this popular place of amusement. It is a most charming play. The scenes are laid with great care and throughout the entire piece there is not a dull moment. The play is under the personal supervision of Mr. Bowdoin. Stage representation is well known. The company is a strong one and among them are well known people. "Faust" has had a successful run and will be seen tonight and twice tomorrow.

BOSTON MUSEUM.

"Westward Ho!" still continues to prosper at the Museum and the inclement weather of last week did not keep the lovers of opera away and full houses was the rule at each performance. An American comic opera, "The Column," was produced last night. It is quite ill, being confined to her room, but a hope that her illness will be temporary.

Mr. F. H. Nourse, the well known real estate dealer and insurance agent, is somewhat out of health. Everybody hopes he will speedy recover.

The following are the officers of the Congregational church Standing Committee: President—F. W. Lovett; F. E. Heath; Clark; F. B. Bishop; Collector—W. D. Meddington; Auditor—C. E. Swett; E. H. Stone; Collector—F. E. H. Heath.

Winchester citizens are going ahead with their grand park, notwithstanding the financial difficulties of the city. A large appropriation for the purpose of securing its water supply. The Waldenver tanners, one of the objectionable features on the territory, has been bonded for \$37,000. The bond will expire in September, and before a year has passed the factory structures will be demolished.

The Winchester Woman's Relief Corps have elected and installed the following officers: President, Mrs. Lydia L. Blood; S. V. President, Mrs. Susan G. Moulton; V. President, Mrs. Alma E. Rowe; Secretary, Mrs. Ellen E. Holton; Treasurer, Mrs. Anna E. Johnson; Collector, Mrs. Pleasantine C. Wilson; Conductor, Mrs. Carrie F. Snow; Assistant Conductor, Mrs. Ethel M. Adams; Guard, Mary E. Edwards; Assistant Guard, Mrs. Minnie E. Gilchrist.

The library was again remembered last week by a friend who presented us with a copy of "The Record of a Happy Life."

The publishers of the well known magazine *The Arena* have very kindly agreed to lend it to our reading room.

Boys who are members of the Junior Department can secure tickets for the Saturday night rally by calling on the General Secretary.

Only seven more days for boys to secure a membership ticket for one year for twenty-five cents. On Feb. 1, the price will be doubled.

The members of the Woman's Auxiliary, who had a Delightful meeting in the Y. M. C. A. Parlor next Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

We desire through these columns to pass through one of two doorways. They are triple. The outer one is built of steel, a single layer of polished steel, a sheet of plate glass covering the inside lock mechanism on the inside surface. Hero wonderful chronometers control a motor, which, at a touch, opens a small hatchway, and the door is fast until 9 o'clock, next morning, when the clock-work releases the powerful spring which drives the bolts. By means of these two doors is saved time, but there are two others of steel grill work. Even if these two should break in collision, the company can easily repair them.

Inside are the 800 boxes, ranging from the great safes hired by railroad corporations to the small safe into which two or three papers can be pushed.

Outside there are convenient rooms for the use of customers. And there is a same room, open to the public, for bronze and magnificent mahogany for general use.

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Main Street, John Cummings, 2d, Cummingsville,
Albert Gleason, Woburn Highlands, W. A. Hanson,
North Woburn, and at F. A. Litchfield's, Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion
in this paper, must be handed in as early as
10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

THAT MEETING.

In obedience to the dictation of a single individual who for some time has been dissatisfied with the distribution of liquor licenses in this city and who, it is said, received ante-election assurances that something should be done for him by the present city administration for a consideration, which consideration he furnished, a secret meeting was held in the upper hall of Mechanics Building last Tuesday evening, not to obtain public sentiment on the subject, but "for the purpose of choosing a committee to take charge of the matter of placing before the Legislature a bill to create a Police Commission for Woburn."

Circular invitations were printed and sent out to the faithful, or those supposed to favor the absurd and unpopular scheme, and were responded to by just 15 persons. None were permitted in the hall who failed to produce one of these invitations, and when Mr. Richard Terrell and his 20 companions learned to their surprise and disgust that it was a private and entirely secret conclave and that they were not wanted there, they retired, not however without vigorous protests and asseverations about the rights of American citizens, even if they were born in Ireland, and the important business of the gathering went on.

M. T. Allen, Esq., presided, but whether in his capacity of Mayor of Woburn or as a private citizen we do know, but presumably the latter for he is too honest a man and too clear sighted to attempt to commit this city to a project so contrary to the wishes and judgment of an overwhelming majority of the voters in such secret and underhanded way.

Chairman Allen stated in a succinct manner the object of the meeting, after which others were called on and submitted remarks. It was a big surprise to the handful of schemers when two prominent citizens, one of them an ex-Mayor and the other a leading and prosperous merchant, arose and proclaimed themselves wholly and irreversibly opposed to the whole business of a Police Commission for the little city of Woburn. What they said was in the nature of a big bombshell.

Mr. Allen frankly told the meeting that personally he was opposed to a Police Commission for Woburn. But if a majority of the voters of Woburn want one he would waive his own ideas and feelings in deference to such demand. That was fair. The truth is, Mayor Allen has no heart for the absurd and chimerical scheme.

To show to what extent the meeting was representative the city we here give the names of the 15 persons present:

A. J. Simonson, J. F. Leslie, W. F. Greenough, G. F. Hosmer, C. T. Dearborn, P. K. A. Richardson (opposed), C. H. Kendall, J. E. Cutler, C. E. Tripp, H. M. Eames, M. T. Allen (Chairman), B. Frank Waldron, C. M. Strout, Winthrop Hammond (opposed), and Representative Fowle, who, it is said, is not at all enthusiastic over the matter.

It was voted to choose an Executive Committee to solicit signatures to a petition for a Police Commission and Misses Allen and Waldron were designated to select such committee.

Then this great meeting, burdened and bowed down with the weight of Woburn's innumerable police woes, adjourned.

It will strike the average mind that this was a singular proceeding, or would have been had it reached to the dignity of anything like a proceeding. No attempt had been made to get an expression of public opinion, which was just what the schemers did not want, but the meeting was a plan to commit our city to a wild, visionary and obnoxious political measure, which happily is likely to be stillborn.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

Last Monday President Cleveland sent an appeal to Congress for immediate relief from the present financial condition of the country. He is greatly alarmed over the situation and recommends that \$500,000,000 in 3-percent, 50-years gold bearing bonds be issued to maintain the gold reserve and cancel notes.

There is no prospect that the President's suggestions will be adopted. It encouraged a fierce opposition in the Senate, and although it was somewhat more favorably received in the House it is hardly probable that any bill embodying his idea can be got through that branch of Congress.

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F—The bill introduced in the Legislature by the Senator from Hampden to place the police in cities under the direction and control of License Boards is a good one. It is just what Woburn needs, and should receive the support of our Representatives as well as Senator Burns.

F—The agitation of the question of a Police Commission to be appointed by the Governor has given rise to a good deal of merriment at Woburn's expense both at home and elsewhere. It is too bad to make our fair city a public laughingstock.

F—In a no-license year the 3000-dollar Police Commission would find the supervision of Woburn's 7 policemen a "soft snap." No wonder people laugh at the idea of such a Commission to this little city.

F—It is not improbable that a mass meeting will soon be held at Lyceum Hall in opposition to the secret move now on foot to foist a State Police Commission on to this city against the wishes of the people.

LOCAL NEWS.**New Advertisements.**

Duchy Co.—Elv.
W. J. Rice—Violin.
J. J. O'Farrell—Hand.
Com. of Mass.—Hearing.
C. W. Clark—Pro. Notice.
A. Buckley—Midwinter Sale.

—Read Addie E. Bell's notice in this paper.

—Scotland at the First Cong. church Monday evening, Feb. 4.

—The stores where they are usually kept are filling up with valentines.

—Mrs. Jennings has a prime stock of Valentines for the girls and boys.

—Note the change in the advertisement of Copeland & Bowser in this paper.

—Things are working that will bring a license for the political boss of this city next May.

—Officer Charles McDermott is down sick with tonsilitis, a disease which is prevalent here just now.

—Mrs. Wilbur Cummings and mother of San Francisco are coming East in April to spend the summer.

—Mr. Thomas J. White was in town last Wednesday and did considerable circulating around among his old friends.

—It is worth much to look on the picture of one so good and fearless as John Knox, First Cong. church, Monday, Feb. 4.

—Mr. J. W. Nichols is a skillful and trusted repairer of clocks. He does a good business because his work suits the people.

—Mrs. C. E. Burdett-Taylor had a very pretty picture in Monday evening's Boston *Traveler*. She writes some beautiful things.

—Read the notice of the hearing to be held on Feb. 5, at the State House, on the division of Woburn, on the division of Woburn. What's to be done about it?

—Mr. James Durward, Jr., the marketman, lost a valuable horse from sickness last week. But Jeemes never cries over split milk.

—Mr. W. H. Cummings has a card in this paper, to which we call attention. He is one of the busiest business men in this city.

—Fred Seaver had two of his best and choicest front teeth knocked out at a polo game last Monday evening. It made work for the dentist.

—Any number of our people have been spending their horses and showing their good clothes on the Medford Road and Boston sleighing throughfares this week.

—The family of Dr. Chalmers, who have been somewhat out of health late are recovering. Dr. C. is famous for successfully pulling through sick people.

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—Mr. Frank A. Winn of Highland street, for 25 years an attache of the Boston *Transcript* composing rooms, is recovering from a severe attack of acute tonsilits which has confined him to his house for month or so.

—Mr. Fred. A. Flint, the Treasurer, informs that the net receipts of the First Parish Fair last week will give a Faculty Recital, assisted by Miss Lila Juel, soprano. The performing artists are to be Mrs. Ellen Berg, Parkyn, pianist; Mr. Van Vaughan Rogers, harpist; Mr. Joseph E. Dandelin, violinist; Miss Agnes Parker Loveland, organist. A splendid programme has been arranged for the recital, and the artists are among the celebrities.

—Tomorrow is Groundhog, or Candlemas Day. Watch closely for the animal, or what will answer the purpose just as well, note carefully about the sunshine at 12 m., Feb. 2. President Taft writes us that great preparations have been made by the Iowa Groundhog Association for a proper observance of the occasion, and that his annual Address will be a rouser. Farmers, how about "half the wood and half the hay?"

—The Woburn Equal Suffrage League will hold their annual meeting for the election of officers on Monday evening at 7.30 in Y. M. C. A. parlor. The lesson on Treatment of Crime will be continued. A good attendance is desired.

—From 25 to 30 gallant Sons of Veterans under the command and paternal guidance of Capt. E. H. Lounsherry attended a camping of the "Big Four" at Reading last evening. They went over in Mr. Jones's "General Butler" and had a great time."

—Mr. Simon Blake of Wakefield, N. H., has been visiting lots of old friends here this week, among whom the *Journal* counts one, and Mr. Gilman F. Jones 2 or 3 more. As a former resident of Woburn and a good all round man our people are always glad to meet Mr. Blake.

—The Towanda Club, which stands in the same relation to the general run of clubs that the "400" do to common society circles, will give an entertainment at the Towanda Hall on Wednesday evening, Feb. 8. Entertainment and ball at Towanda Hall on Wednesday evening, Feb. 8, dancing until 12. Tickets, with ladies, 50 cents.

—It is about as good as settled that Rev. George A. Crawford, D. D., will remain the pastor of the M. E. Church in this city another year, making three. The church will make such a request at the Annual Conference in April and but little doubt exists that he will be returned—unless some other has a stronger pull."

—A reunion of the Veterans of Co. K, 39th Mass. Reg't, will be held at the residence of Comrade George E. Fowle on Thursday evening, Feb. 7. Mr. Fowle was wounded at Hatcher's Run in an engagement with the Rebels there, and Capt. Charles K. Conn, of the same Co., was wounded the next day.

—Mr. Wesley Wentworth, formerly Superintendent of the East Middlesex Street Railroad and for some years past Superintendent of the Haverhill, Merrimack & Amesbury Electric road, has accepted the position of Asst. Sup't of the Lowell & Suburban Electric road. Mr. Wentworth is a thorough and very competent street railroad man.

—A good dining table is the letter "A" of the alphabet of hospitality. Everything else follows after it. It heads the list. Don't ask your guests to draw up to a poor, rickety, old-fashioned dining table, but take advantage of the low prices at which fine tables are now selling at the Paine Furniture Co., 48 Canal street, Boston.

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—Mr. Luke McGrath fell on the ice on Horn Pond on Wednesday afternoon and was seriously injured by an icehook which he held in his hand. Medical aid was summoned.

—Mr. Alvin Buckman's advertisement in another column tells all about his annual mid-winter sale and it is an interesting story. We commend a careful perusal of it to our readers.

—The fair salesladies at Horton's, whose business is to deal in homemade edibles for the benefit of the Building Fund of the Woman's Club, do a land-office stroke of trade every Saturday.

—Mr. N. T. Worthley, Jr., of Bath, Maine, the optician so popular with our people, made a professional visit here last Friday and Saturday and so great was the rush that he was obliged to return on Tuesday to satisfy the demands of patients. On his monthly visits he makes the jewelry store of Linwood E. Hanson his headquarters. He is one of the most skillful opticians in the country.

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COMMON COUNCIL.
The Board held its regular meeting on Monday evening, Jan. 28, 1895.

Pettition of R. J. W. Pliny and 20 others for a fire alarm box on Warren and Lawrence streets, Com. on fire—Concurrent, yes. Also on Feb. 5, 200 others for a Mayors address. Also concurred in giving additional assistance to Board of Registrars of Voters in securing the signatures of 1000 names of the magnitude of the Holy City where the composer's idea was so faithfully followed.

It was remarked in these columns not long since, in comments on the concert of the Woburn Musical Society, that one had succeeded in getting into so short a distance of the High Street interest in music. It was a pleasure on that occasion to participate in the great success of the evening, in view of the magnitude of the Holy City where the composer's idea was so faithfully followed.

It was therefore a double pleasure to know that Woburn can support two first class musical organizations, as has been abundantly proved by the recent concert of the Woburn Musical Society.

The most noticeable thing, perhaps, was similar to that remarked a few weeks ago, the dependence of the upper troupe on the lower three leading ones. The first sopranos and second contralto were rather more than enough for the upper parts, but this on the whole is rather bad. The vocal minor parts have in general so little movement and do not need much in this respect. The last number on the program, however, showed that the middle voices had more range than the upper.

Members of a chorus often wonder why it is that the Director has so much to say about watching the signals of entrance or exit of a part, while they themselves have no such control over their voices as to make them equal to the others.

Mr. Elia wanted to elect an Assistant Engineer, but there was opposition and it was dropped.

Matter of pay for Superintendent of Streets discussed. Some wanted to make it at least \$1200, and get a good man. Others thought \$800 would go on.

New Ordinances was proposed making the salary \$1000.

Rules of '94 were adopted. Order presented to print 50 copies of amendments to Ordinances.

Y. M. C. A.

REPORTED BY THE GEN. SECRETARY.
We desire to thank the publishers of the *Electrical Age* who have kindly donated their magazine to our reading room.

We would remind our contributors that there are a few unpaid pledges on last year's expenses which are very much needed.

I will do a great assistance to the Treasurer of the Auxiliary if the members will endeavor to be prompt in paying in their annual dues.

The publishers of the Boston *Commonwealth* have kindly consented to send us their paper for our Reading Room. New publications are being added every week.

The Board of Directors have decided, and a Festival will be held for several days in April including the 19th. Further notice will be given later in these columns.

The Association is in need of a new piano and the proceeds of the entertainment to be presented by the Woman's Auxiliary on February 22, will be devoted to this object.

Next Saturday night, Feb. 2, at 7 o'clock, there will be a Magic Lantern Exhibition for the members of the Junior Department. The admission to members will be five cents.

We would like to thank the ladies of the city that are specially invited to attend the Woman's Prayer Meeting held in the Y. M. C. A. rooms every Tuesday afternoon at 6 o'clock.

"Long Distance" Telephone. Here and there will be the subject of the talk to young men, especially during noon at 4 o'clock. Prof. E. L. Patch of Stoneham will speak. All young men welcome.

The third of the series of Prize Contests by the members of the Junior Department will be held next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in Y. M. C. A. Hall. Soon we shall know which boy is ahead in his race to be the champion.

The fifth regular Prize Contest of the Training Class will be held next Monday evening, Feb. 4, at 7:30 o'clock. Special subject, "I don't feel I am a singer." James 2:10, Rev. 17:9, Rom. 3:12. Also half hour with S. S. lesson.

It is to be hoped that the new building of the Melrose Association will be completed about March 1. A well equipped gymnasium, a ladies' bowling alley and a room for canvas work will be among the attractions. The cost including lot will be \$45,000.

There will be a special meeting of the members of the Woman's Auxiliary next Monday evening, Feb. 4, at 7:30 o'clock. The plans for Feb. 22, Let as many of the members attend as possible and so insure the success of our effort to secure the much needed piano.

Photographs in a Newspaper.

THE WOBURN JOURNAL PRINTS HALF-TONE ILLUSTRATIONS, SIMILAR TO THOSE OF THE MAGAZINES.

In no line has there been such a marked advance recently as in newspaper illustrations. The most conspicuous example of this is to be found in the handsome photographic pictures published in the Boston *Sunday Journal*, which takes the lead of all papers in New England in this respect.

The *Sunday Journal* continues to give the accuracy and beauty of a photographic picture, and the *Journal's* artistic illustrations combine these in a marked degree.

Of course, the press is an expensive one, but the *Sunday Journal* can well afford the very best Sunday paper possible. Just at present a series of living pictures, with famous actors and actresses posing specially for these illustrations, form a novelty in the *Sunday Journal*. Another series, of equal interest, treats of the popular artesian wells and mineral springs of the country, and these are combined with all the illustrations shown by the most expensive magazines. Ladies will find in the *Sunday Journal* fine pictures of the latest Parisian costumes, equal in all respects to those of the high-priced fashion periodicals, and posters, with snap shots of city and country life, go to make up a publication of novel and artistic worth.

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Boston Theatres.

BOSTON MUSEUM.

"Westward Ho!" has been playing five weeks at the Museum to very large houses, and yet the fact remains that few other instances can be shown where a new lyric production has leaped into such immediate success. The story is a simple one, but very attractive one at that. The music is popular and far above the average and the performance is given by the different members of the company in a very bright and breezy manner. In the company are such favorites as Anna Lewis, Fanny Johnston, Clinton Elder, J. H. Ryler, George Marion, Eddie, Harry Hilliard, Harry Davenport and others.

CASTLE SQUARE THEATRE.
Next Monday night Henderson's American Extravaganza will present "Aladdin Jr." which is said to be the most magnificent stage production ever offered to the theatergoers of this city. In the opening act the costumes are of the most elaborate and sumptuous nature, and the scenes are very attractive one at that. The music is popular and far above the average and the performance is given by the different members of the company in a very bright and breezy manner. In the company are such favorites as Anna Lewis, Fanny Johnston, Clinton Elder, J. H. Ryler, George Marion, Eddie, Harry Hilliard, Harry Davenport and others.

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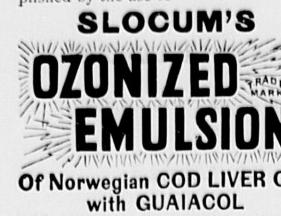
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A LITTLE THING.

Such a little thing hides therein, sweethearts. Such a little thing hides the sun, sweethearts. Such a little thing hides the sun, sweethearts. The top of the tree is tree. A summer shower of the sunshine born. A mist that dips in the sea.

Such a little thing hides the sun, sweethearts. But isn't it joy to know?

That the soft warm winds will blow Till the wall of mist shall be blown aside And the shadows flee away.

And the sun behind the western hills Give a pledge of a bright day.

Florence A. Jones in Minneapolis House keeper.

KID GLOVES.

Interesting Facts About the Skins Which Cover or Adorn the Hands.

Barefooted boys and girls form a curtain around the shop in the making of a pair of fine gloves.

They work together in preparing the skins for the hands of the fashionable woman who rushes to the stores every time a new shade of glove is announced.

Thousands of dozens of hem's eggs are used in curing the hides, and thousands of boys are employed to work the skins in clear water by treading on them for several hours.

When a woman buys a pair of gloves, she speaks of her purchase as "kids." If the clerk who sold her the "kids" gloves knew the secrets of the glove-making business, he might surprise his fair customer by telling her that those beautiful, soft, smooth fitting "kids" gloves came from the leather belt of a 40-year-old colt whose neck was slit on the plains of Russia, and whose under hide was shipped with huge bundles of other colts' hides to France, where they made up into "kid" gloves, or he might with equal regard to the truth tell her that those gloves in the other compartment once darted from tree to tree in South America on the back of a ring-tailed monkey. And if he made the rounds of the store and could distinguish one skin from another he could point out "kid" gloves made from the skins of kangaroos from Australia; lambs or sheep from Ohio or Spain or England; calves from India; muskrats from anywhere, musk oxen from China and other parts of Asia; rats, cats and Newfoundland pups.

But the little Russian colt, the four footed baby from the plains where the Cossacks live, the colt from the steppes of Siberia, where horses are raised by the thousand, supply the skins which are the favorites at present with the glove-makers. Experts say that the colt-skin makes a better, stronger, finer glove than real kidskin, and as the colt is a little fellow only 3 weeks old when he is killed but a small amount of skin can be made into gloves, so that the price is about as high.

But, after all, the real kid, the lively infant of the goats which live in France, Switzerland, Spain and Italy, furnishes the best, finest and most expensive gloves, and nearly 10,000 kids are sacrificed every year in order that women and men may clamp their hands in wrinkles, delicate hand gloves.—Chicago Record.

Kotshieschen—What Is It?

Under the title of "A Game We Might Play," the Marquis of Lorne in Good Words puts in a plea for an open air winter pastime in the low countries of northern Europe which has for centuries enjoyed a sort of national reputation.

It is a rough sort of golf, played with clubs or holes, is inexpensive and can be played by two single opponents or with two on a side. The article contains a very picturesque description of a match between the winter villages in Friesland, at which the writer, however, seems to have had a striking impression of the popularity of the game and of the spirited emulation which it awakes. It is pointed out that in England there are many districts, especially in the east of the island, which are peculiarly well adapted to the game, there being in these parts much flat land where winter makes the ground hard. Wherever these conditions exist, there, we are told, the "kotshieschen," or "closhott" game can be played with advantage.—London Standard.

Dabster Misunderstood.

Fogg—What kind of a writer is Dabster? Is he possessed of descriptive powers?

Fogg—Unfortunately, yes.

Fogg—Yes. In his recent sketch of a western girl he spoke of her commercial traveler manner and her generous understanding. The Chicago people allowed that the "commercial traveler manner" was a compliment of which anybody except in the effete east might well be proud, but they suspected that the other characterization was a cheap fling at the size of women's shoes, and after that his writings were a drug in the western market.—Boston Transcript.

Flannel.

Excellent pianos may be bought in Europe at perhaps two-thirds the cost of a like instrument here, and even individuals can import pianos to advantage in spite of the tariff. But a fact that works pretty effectively to protect the home manufacturer is that either the American climate or the usual steam heat tends to destroy the imported piano, so that even the temptation of saving from \$200 to \$500 on the first cost does not induce many persons to take the risk of an instrument that cannot stand the climate.—Philadelphia Ledger.

England's Tobacco Law.

An antiquarian says that tobacco cannot be used in England save by a violation of law. In 1660 a law was made prohibiting the growth or importation of tobacco beyond a few hundred pounds of leaves every year, "to be used in medicine." It is said that this statute has never been repealed.

THE SUNSET LEDGE.

ITS STORY AS TOLD BY THE OLD CALIFORNIA MINER.

The Two Contractors Who Refused to Hear a Timely Warning—Fifteen Years After a Blast Released a Pair of Grinning Skeletons.

In Butte county there is a quartz mine which has been abandoned for many years. Only the oldest residents of the vicinity remember the names of the locators, and scarcely a trace of the shaft and buildings remains. The ledge was discovered away back in the early days, when quartz first attracted the notice of prospectors; when many worthless ledges were worked because the miners had not yet learned how to read the value of such ore by the minerals in it, its location, dip and contact with other formations. The Sunset ledge was small, flinty and absolutely worthless, but the men who discovered it thought it worth development. They put down a shaft 100 feet in depth in wet and treacherous ground and they used timber. Then they let a contract to two men—a Cornish man and an Irishman—to construct a tunnel 100 feet in length from the bottom.

Sometimes untimbered ground will stand apparently firm and safe for a time, and then, with no perceptible cause, suddenly get shaky and fall or close in. This was just what occurred at the Sunset mine. The two men in the tunnel had almost finished their contract and were "squearing up the face" of the tunnel when one of the men employed on the surface was lowered rapidly ran to them and told them to leave the mine instantly because the shaft was closing.

Why the men refused, in the face of a certain death, is hard to understand. The messenger was frightened and threatened, but they were obstinate. They laughed at him, told him to sit down and smoke a pipe with them and said they would leave the tunnel only when they had "finished her up in shape." Perhaps they imagined the man was playing a joke upon them or that it was a scheme to get them to leave the mine before their contract was fulfilled. At any rate, they refused to leave the mine, and the man who warned them returned to the surface only just in time to escape the fate of the men below. The shaft, with a roar, closed in, and they were entombed.

No effort was made to rescue the buried men. It was impossible to save them if they were killed by the gas which means every man's grave, and Mr. Wood resides at 91 Marion Ave., West Indianapolis, Ind. He has been cured by the great medicine, Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy, from utter nervous prostration and exhaustion. He deems the cure most wonderful and the physician who cured him a most wonderful healer. He is, therefore, to tell the world of his remarkable restoration to health, and to lead others to health by the use of the great healer's remedies.

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THE a rumor, originating in quarters where many strange and untruthful stories have their birth, that the **JOURNAL** has been sold to a Democratic syndicate has been current on the streets this week. Ordinarily our course would be to let such a yarn slide, but for business considerations we deem it advisable to stamp the rumor as a lie. With the persons who originated it the wish was doubtless father of the thought. The **JOURNAL** is still doing business under its old and successful management.

WE sincerely hope that Representatives Fowle and Bancroft and Senator Burns will see their way clear to giving "an act relating to civil suits for libel against publishers of newspapers" their earnest support with tongue and vote. The present law of libel in this State is away behind the times and notoriously unjust to publishers.

THE scheme of Gen. Martin, Chairman of the Boston Police Commission, to place the Police of the State under State control and make them a semi-military force meets with cold reception on all hands. The people of the Commonwealth are not quite ready to surrender self-government to military rule.

IT is given out at the State House that the Commission appointed a year ago to look into and report on the labor question in this State, of which our respected townsmen, David F. Moreland, Esq., is a member, will not be continued another year.

NOTWITHSTANDING the desire of the people to be allowed to vote on the question of biennial elections it is feared that the present Legislature will refuse them the privilege. Boston and the Lynn *Item* are stronger than the voice of the people.

WITH its customary enterprise, and ahead of all contemporaries, the **JOURNAL** prints the bill for a Police Commission in Woburn. Good men's names are attached to the bill, but the number of them is in nowise formidable.

SENATOR Burns has said that he should decline to aid in saddling a Police Commission onto Woburn unless convinced that a considerable majority of the people demand it. He will not be called on.

SENATOR Burns of this District has introduced a bill in the Senate to make the transportation of intoxicating liquors more difficult and dangerous than it now is, and we hope he will succeed in getting it through.

IT is generally thought that ex-Ald. Phillips will not secure a seat on the Board of Liquor License Commissioners during the present city administration.

WE gratefully acknowledge the receipt of a copy of Senator Lodge's very able speech on the Hawaiian question in the U.S. Senate on Jan. 13 and 22, 1895.

THE absence of Mayor Allen's name from the list appended to the bill for a Police Commission indicates that, as the **JOURNAL** said last week, he does not approve of the scheme.

THERE are ugly rumors of crookedness in some of the Departments at City Hall. They circulate in low whispers, as do also the suggestions of an early official investigation.

HAVE any steps been taken towards securing the loudly talked of amendments to our city charter, and if so, what?

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New Advertisements.

FRENCH FOUNDRIES.
J. E. Tidd—Sheriff's Sale.
J. E. Tidd—Furniture Co.—Furniture.

— And 2 below yesterday morning.

— Mrs. Jennings has a fine stock of valentines.

— C. W. Smith is selling goods very cheap this week.

— Next week Thursday will be St. Valentine's Day.

— The Board of Aldermen held a meeting last evening.

— Durward's vegetables meats and fruits "take the cake."

— Sweet oranges at Cuneo & Crowe's and other fruit to match.

— Lent will begin on Feb. 27. Easter comes on April 6.

— Mr. and Mrs. Marcus H. Cotton are very proud of their new boy.

— There is some money at Police Headquarters awaiting an owner.

— Mr. John Maxwell has a thoroughly built double-runner pug for sale cheap.

— Mr. O. T. Curtis' family, Winter st., No. Woburn, are sick with La Grippe.

— The Ronco sisters, violinists, are filling a good many professional engagements this winter.

— The plumbers have had a harvest this week. Bursted pipes have been the order of the day.

— Rev. Mr. Marquis, Rector of Trinity Church, is moving into the old Wyman house on Main street.

— The Woburn Electric Light Co. will probably furnish Winchester with illumination some time longer.

— Mrs. Mary E. Cutler has furnished us with the annual reports of the Boards of the Home for Aged Women.

— There is going to be a radical overhauling of salaries at City Hall. Need enough of it.

— Officer Charles McDermott has recovered from a severe attack of tonsilitis and is at his post of duty again.

— Mr. Thomas B. Coolidge of New Bridge Hill is confined to his home with a severe attack of catarrhal pneumonia.

— Mrs. Nellie Gooding's Home Bakery and Restaurant is growing popular rapidly. She has a good patronage.

— Mr. E. C. Leath gives a pleasant talk about "Living Pictures" in his advertising space this week. Please read it.

— Brewster Colony initiated candidates last evening, and Abenjora Colony initiated some on Wednesday evening.

— Woburn Chapter of Royal Arch Masons installed their officers last evening. The usual festivities followed the ceremonies.

— Druggist Brooks makes a cough medicine that is entirely free from opiums and a sure cure for the coughs that rage in winter.

— Librarian Cutter of this city says the new Boston Library is a magnificent one and only needs to be seen to be admired.

— That second concert by the Amphiion Club can't get along any too soon to suit the people. Ask Mr. Whithere for particulars.

— Major Hall says that Mr. J. M. has discharged all his men on the Somerville bridge that he has been building this winter.

— All of Rev. Mr. Alger's family of Winter st., North Woburn, are suffering with the La Grippe and confined to their rooms.

— Another delay of trains was caused last Wednesday morning by four coal cars running off the track near Skinner's tannery.

— The annual report of Mr. C. A. Jones, Treasurer of the W. H. A. W. corporation, shows that the assets of the same are \$16,109.09.

— Mr. Luther Willard of Still River, father-in-law of Reporter George S. Hudson of the *Herald*, has been visiting in this city this week.

— Capt. John Gilcreast says the Groundhog may do for Westerners to regulate their weather by but New England has no use for him.

— Do slugging matches at the Rink meet with general approval? Perhaps they are all right, but it hardly looks that way to a man up a tree.

— Champion Thomas Joyce requests us to state in these columns that he will not enter the wrestling or boxing ring again this season nor next. He has got all of the business he wants and proposes to retire while the bays are fresh and green on his braw—before they wilt, as it were. Mr. Joyce has arrived at a wise conclusion.

— Copeland & Bowser are cleaning out their stock at hardpan figures.

Salesmen Dorr is on deck all the time to see that everything goes straight.

— At a meeting of the Council last Friday evening Messrs. John F. Larkin and Thomas Caulfield were drawn as jurors for the next term of the Court.

— Mrs. George Beggs went to Confluence, Pa., yesterday. Mr. Beggs is a large leather manufacturer there being a member of the firm of W. S. Cobb & Co.

— Mr. Arthur C. Ellis, son of Capt. Jacob M. Ellis, has gone to California for purposes of pleasure solely. He went off completely "heeled" for a good time.

— Post 161, G. A. R., entertained Post 75 of Stoneham in style last Monday evening. The old "boys" of 161 are large hearted and princely entertainers.

— The trains were somewhat snarled up between 12 and 2 o'clock last Saturday. It was caused by a locomotive jumping the rails just below the High-lans station.

— Several officers, including Miss President Reade, of the Charitable Society, and 4 gentlemen held a pleasant social in Post 33 G. A. R., Hall Tuesday evening.

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— The Misses Fosdick of Black Horse Terrace are making their home temporarily with Dr. F. W. Graves on Pleasant street, Woburn. Mr. and Mrs. Fosdick are in Florida.—*Winochester Star.*

— Mr. Willard Smith began a mark-down sale of dry goods yesterday in order to turn them into cash. The cuts range from 20 to 50 percent and offer a fine opportunity to buy excellent goods cheap.

— The ice merchants got through cutting last week after filling their houses with the finest ice that ever laid outdoors. Messrs. Nichols and Goodrich are happy, or will be if we have a hot summer.

— Mr. Gilman F. Jones, proprietor of the Central House stable, has gone West on a business trip. He will have to face severe blizzards out there that he left behind although it is quite wintry here.

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— Our readers will do well to take particular notice of the statements of Fitz & Stanley of the Boston Branch concerning an exhibition that is to take place at their store from Feb. 11 to 16 inclusive. The ladies especially should be interested in it.

— There is an error somewhere. The groundhog cast no shadow when he emerged from his hole at noon last Saturday and according to the old rule spring should have made its advent on that date. Since then we have had the coldest weather of the winter.

— Mr. L. E. Hanson, the jeweler, tells an interesting story in the **JOURNAL** this week. The idea prevails that in the line of fine jewelry, gems, time-keepers, etc., his popular store stands at the head of the heap. He don't charge all outdoors for his goods either.

— Capt. John E. Tidd and other Woburn members attended the monthly meeting and banquet of the Massachusetts Division of the Legion of Honor in Boston last Tuesday evening. A lively paper was read on imprisonment and escape from Libby Prison.

— In the first week of this month 125 tramps were given lodgings in the Woburn city jail. These are Cleveland times.—*WOBURN, MASS.*, *JOURNAL*. We think California is the home of the trap but we can boast of nothing like it, and are glad of it.—*Mayfield Cal. Express.*

— Mr. and Mrs. Edwin C. Cotton of Rockland, Maine, are visiting their parents and friends in this city, and will return to-morrow. Mr. Cotton has been attending the Y. M. C. A. convention at Quincy, and Mrs. Cotton is with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Francis, her father and mother.

— The sixth annual party of the Past Officers Association will be given at Music Hall on Thursday evening, Feb. 11. The intention of the Managers is to make it better than any of its predecessors. The best of orchestral music has been engaged. It will be a dress affair and high class at that.

— Officers of the Patriotic Catholic Americans were installed Monday evening as follows: P. Edward McDonald; Vice Pres. Hannah Coughlin; Rec. Sec. Elizabeth Murray; Fin. Sec., Annie T. Doherty; Treasurer, Michael Burke; Orator, Mary Gallagher; Sergt. at Arms, Frank Maguire; Guard, Mary Looby.

— At 7 o'clock Wednesday morning it was 7 degrees below at Mr. Waterman's weather bureau; 10 below at Mr. S. T. Brigham's on Court st., 12 at Central Square; 15 at No. Woburn; and Richardson's Mill was not even heard from. The night preceding the hour above named was cold and tempestuous.

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— The Rockland Y. M. C. A. finds that the most interesting thing it has had to offer its patrons for a long time has been the current topic club which calls the young men together for a discussion of the live topics of the day.—*Kennebec Journal.* General Secretary Cotton of the Rockland (Me.) Y. M. C. A. is an up to date gentleman, and if there is anything good in his line floating around he is bound to gall it onto the limit.

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— There is no disputing the fact that the "Globe man" has a "nose" for news." The latest astonishing piece of information that he has unearthed and given to the public is that steps are being taken to build a bit more of calorific a most agreeable evening would have been spent by the assembly. Mr. MacQueen is an interesting lecturer, and his speech was well received.

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COMMON COUNCIL AND POLICE COMMISSION.

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Nichols & Brooks, undertakers, have bought a firstclass hearse for the business which will be here today.

An oil painting of real merit on canvas given with a dozen of Nowell's cabinets for a limited time. See adv.

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The old city officers have nearly all been re-elected—Grammer, Hevey, Albert Thompson, and others, are all in their old places and happy. The reason of it was that there is less ward politics in the City Council this year.

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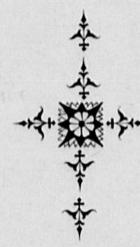
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Call and see the assortment of
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The Board of Managers, through its Secretary, submits to the Corporation the eighth annual report.

Our thoughts at this time naturally revert to our last annual meeting, when we looked back over the past year, and saw how many who had been interested in the home from its very commencement, and who were in a large measure instrumental in its success. Both had been unwearyed, enthusiastic workers in the cause of the Home, and we can but rejoice that they lived to see their work in regard to its prosperity realized. Mrs. Mary Shaw died February 19, 1894, and Mrs. Rebecca P. Flagg died April 7, 1894. Mr. Edward W. Hudson, a gentleman who had given substantial aid to the Home, died March 27, 1894.

Mrs. Harriet Tidd of Stoneham died during the year. She was a valued friend and benefactor of the institution, and to her memory, and that of her husband, we are indebted for our present commodious Home.

The resignation of Mrs. Hattie Burr, the Matron, on account of ill health, during the annual meeting in February, was received with regret by all, but it was gratifying to see that she was extremely fortunate in securing the services of Mrs. L. S. Gilman, who, in May, was permanently appointed Matron of the Home, the affairs of which, with the aid of Katie the domestic, have been ably administered. Mrs. Gilman, and Mrs. Mary E. Adams, were unanimously elected Vice-Presidents.

There has been one death in the Home during the year, Mrs. Fannie W. Converse, who died, after a short illness, at the age of ninety-four years, on December 1, 1894, and died November 13, 1894. She was a native of Woburn. Mrs. Butters continues to have the care of a nurse, but at the present time the other inmates are fareing well.

Mrs. Mableton Warland entered the Home May 15, and remained until September only. Miss Mindwell T. Taylor entered June 25, 1894. Mrs. Lizzie Brown, Oct. 1, 1894, and Mrs. Sarah Merrill Tyler, Nov. 1894. There were other inmates, with the date of entrance are: Mrs. Anna E. Bishop, 1887; Mrs. Esther Kirth, October, 1889; Mrs. Betsy G. Johnson, October, 1890; Miss Charlotte P. Wyman, July, 1892; Mrs. Sarah L. Todd, December 1892; Mrs. Rhoda B. Flinders, August, 1893; Mrs. Rosina B. Liddy, October, 1893; making ten in all.

Mrs. Almira W. Brown succeeded Miss Susan Edgell as President at the beginning of the year, and affairs under her judicious leadership have been conducted with great success. Although there have been no large donations, there have been many expressions of kindness through smaller gifts. In this connection Mr. J. N. Merrill, of Tremont St., Boston, becoming aware of a desire of the trustees to contribute to exchange the organ for a piano, made an exchange on satisfactory terms, a kindness which was much appreciated. Mr. B. E. Flagg has continued the interest which his wife exerted by contributing to the Home the sum of a very large amount, and has, at her pleasure, been living, to take care of the Home.

Mrs. Charles H. Taylor, Jr., has sent the Boston *Globe*, thus repeating the favor of the year before. It is much appreciated by the members, keeping them informed of all matters of interest and news of the day.

The subscription for the "Cottage" dinner from Mrs. E. C. Colman was a very gratifying and welcome gift, as was also a load of wool given the same month by Mrs. Abby C. Weston. Mrs. Baldwin Congdon has presented the Home with the "Twenty-five Compensation for the year." The Woburn Journal, and the News, have continued their weekly visits, and we take this opportunity to thank Mr. Hobbs and Mr. Wetzel, the editors for the practical interest they have always shown in this enterprise.

There are many favors from the Managers and friends of the Home which they do not care to have mentioned, but which serve to advance its interests in many ways. Besides these donations, there are other favors, less acceptable, in the way of social entertainments.

Fourty members of the Woburn Workers in charge of their President, Miss Sarah Chamberlain, and accompanied by Rev. Dr. May, visited the home on the eve of its Birthday. Each of the old ladies was presented with a bouquet, and gifts of fruit with other dainties were brought for the Home. The recitations, songs, and violin playing, with an address from Dr. March, added greatly to the interest of the evening. On the second of August, the President, Mrs. Almira W. Brown, invited the inmates of the Home to their great delight, to dine with her. Seven accepted her invitation. Every dish served was done in a way of hospitality and care that pleased.

The pupils of the Woburn school with their teacher have visited the home at various times during the year, bringing flowers and entertaining the inmates with songs, and in their custom for a number of years, they have at Christmas brought gifts for each member.

On Christmas Day, Mrs. Elvira Butters celebrated her eighteenth birthday. A year ago she had a severe fall from which she has never fully recovered. The inmates and a few friends, in this way, gathered in the heat of winter, wishing her a happy return of the day, leaving several slight tokens of esteem such as a birthday cake and flowers. These kind acts serve to make the Home cheerful and pleasant.

We desire to thank all those who have so kindly and acceptably conducted religious services. These occasional services afford much comfort to members of the Home.

On this occasion to the best, in behalf of the Managers and inmates, those physicians who have willingly given their valuable and gratuitous services.

In looking over the financial report it will be seen with what care, economy and skill the affairs of this Institution have been conducted. As we are anxious now to all its present needs, we seek for its interest in the hearts of those who have not yet become interested. The work is a noble one, and others in the future will

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Total, \$1,000.00

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 5 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

THE MAYOR'S PLAN.

Without giving the matter much thought it occurs to us that Mayor Allen's proposed changes in our city charter place too much power in the hands of the Chief Executive. We are however open to conviction on the point and will not therefore discuss it at the present time.

One feature of his plan we heartily endorse. It is this:

SECTION 36. Neither the city council nor either branch thereof, nor any committee or member thereof, shall directly or indirectly take part in the employment of labor, the expenditure of public money, the making of contracts, the purchase of materials or supplies, the construction, alteration or repair of any public works or other property, or in the care, custody or management of the same, or in general in the conduct of the executive or administrative business of the city, except as may be necessary for defraying the contingent and incidental expenses of the city council or of either branch thereof.

That section strikes at the root of the corruption well-known to have heretofore existed in our City Council, especially among the committee of the same, and which will be likely to continue unless some check is interposed to end it. We cannot say what particular object the Mayor had in view in asking the Legislature for this provision, because the JOURNAL does not enjoy his official confidence, but he has hit the nail square on the head and we sincerely hope the section will become law. Presently the JOURNAL will give its reasons more in detail for approving this important change recommended by Mayor Allen.

BIENNIAL ELECTIONS.

The sovereign people of Massachusetts have been vainly begging of their servants, the General Court, for some years, to be allowed the privilege of expressing an opinion at the polls on the question of biennial elections and at last it looks as though their wishes were to be gratified. The Boston Journal says:

"The practically unanimous Republican support in the Massachusetts House for the biennial elections resolve is a bright augury for its passage. In the House, as in the Senate, the Republican majority this year is overwhelming enough to do just as it wants to."

FEW noted Americans have died this week. They were General John L. Swift, the "silver tongued" orator of Boston, and Fred Douglass, the famous colored champion of his race. He was born a slave.

We have been told that considerable dissatisfaction over the committee appointments by President Converse of the Common Council is felt in certain quarters.

THIS is Washington's Birthday which is a legal holiday in Massachusetts. It is celebrated more or less all over the Union.

Legislative Committee hearing on the petition for a Police Commission will be given on March 7. The prospect for a hot contest is good.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.
W. H. A. W.-Meeting.
H. N. Con.-Insurance.
J. D. C. -Construction.
J. W. Johnson-Citation.
D. W. Johnson-Citation.
C. R. Rosengren-Sew. Ma.
Mechanic Building-Wanted.
L. A. Cummings & Co.-Plumbers.
W. F. Cummings & Co.-Bathrooms.

Miss Grace Cummings is going on a visit to California.

"Mechanics Building" wants a girl for general housework.

The old saw factory at Montvale is now a patent leather manufacturer.

Miss Mary Parker of Canal st., goes to Erie, Pa., to visit friends.

Mr. Dow, brother of Mrs. Charles Choate, is sick with pneumonia at her residence on Academy Hill.

Mrs. J. Walter Kelley is quite ill of pneumonia at her home, the Whittleman residence at Montvale.

"Nurturing and Distributing Scarlet Fever" will appear in print next week. It is a timely article.

Mr. Winthrop Hammond, principal clothier, has been to N. Y. this week for a big spring stock.

Frank Waldron and H. N. C. are pulling together at their rooms in Mechanic Building in good shape.

Mr. Fred H. Burdett has returned from an extended visit to Clifton Springs, N. Y., improved in health.

The managers of the Police Commission bill are having the city systematically canvassed for signatures to the petition.

Mr. J. M. Ellis of the Board of License Commissioners has been visiting Holyoke and other localities out that way this week.

Mr. Gilman F. Jones returned from the West last Friday evening. Although the weather was severe he had a pleasant trip.

Mr. Amos Cummings is going very ill for a week but is now out of danger and making good progress toward sound health again.

The 10-room house on Border street formerly owned by Bartholomew Holloran was recently sold under foreclosure of a mortgage, the purchaser being Peter Manning of this city. He got the estate for \$1210.

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Mr. James R. Wood of Salem street related some of his thrilling experiences as a Union Scout in the Civil War at a Campfire held by Post 75, G. A. R., in Stoneham last Monday evening. Some of his adventures and escapes while in that dangerous service were told in the Boston Sunday Journal not long ago, with illustrations, and were highly interesting, as was his narratives last Monday evening at the Patriotic Sunday School concert. The church will be profusely decorated with American Flags, streamers of bunting, etc., for the occasion. Among the patriotic pieces which will be sung "America" stands at the head of the list, to be followed by Dudley Buck's "Festival Hymn," and other appropriate selections by the pupils. It has been arranged for papers to be read on the Hebrew Nation, on the American Nation, and kindred topics. Rev. Dr. Quint will deliver a patriotic address. A programme of unusual interest has been put out for the concert. The very best of singing by the School, under the direction of Mr. Marcus H. Cotton, Superintendent of the Intermediate Department, can be safely counted on.

The Police made some more important raids a few days ago and captured considerable "stuff." According to reports, in one place they took out a warrant for the wrong man.

Mr. Bancroft's "Irish Songs and Song Writers" drew a full house last Wednesday evening. It was a prime entertainment and Post 33, G. A. R., must have done well financially.

George, the youngest son of Prof. Clarke, the old First Parish organist, has been very sick indeed this week. He was taken suddenly and severely ill at his home one night last week.

Officer Keen arrested one of a quartet of Lexington roysters whose horse ran away on Winn street last Sunday night and spilled the load, and had him fined \$10 for drunkenness.

The great professional boxing exhibition came off yesterday evening at the Skating Academy under the management of the Woburn Athletic Club, of which Mr. Owen Reddy is President.

The beautiful window display at Leathé's Cycle Store is still the talk of the city. The "living pictures" there presented are certainly pleasing to every eye. A new pose is presented every other evening.

A rumor that the Woburn Journal had been sold to a Democratic syndicate has been quelled by Editor Hobbs, the proprietor of that old established and successful paper.—Woburn Star. Thanks.

There was disappointment at the racing match at the rink last night on account of the nonappearance in the ring of a prominent Woburn newspaperman, an athlete of considerable renown. He crawled away at the last moment.

Mr. John Duncan, Jr., Manager, went to New York last Wednesday to buy goods with which to fill up the Woburn Clothing Co.'s store, in this city and also for the Co.'s new branch store at Watertown. He will buy and expects to return tomorrow.

Next week Mr. Gilman F. Jones expects to receive a carload of prime Iowa horses from Mr. Edward Knott at Waverly in that State. Due notice of their arrival at Mr. Jones' Central House stables will be given. It is understood that they will be No. 1.

We do not know where they come from, but Cuneo & Crowe have great piles of sweet and juicy oranges as ever grew on trees, and they sell them at fair prices too. Other fruits in abundance can be found at their store, and no end of choice confectionery too.

At the 4th quarterly conference of the Central M. E. Church in Lowell held a few days ago it was unanimously voted to request the return of Rev. Hugh Montgomery for a fourth year. This shows that the old parson has lost none of his former popularity in the City of Spindles.

The Woburn Equal Suffrage League will hold its monthly meeting at the Y. M. C. A., Parlor Saturday, March 2, at 3 P.M. It is hoped the change of time will accommodate a larger number of its members. All others interested are cordially invited to attend.

There is no need of the managers of parties, balls and functions going to Boston for a caterer so long as Belcher, our own caterer, is on deck. He is equal to the best that can be procured anywhere, and as he is one of our home men, a citizen and tax-payer, let us all patronize him.

There is a good time in store for the Daughters of Liberty and American Mechanics. On Thursday evening, Feb. 28, the Daughters will give a Colonial Supper in Mechanics Hall and have invited the members of the A. M. to partake of their hospitalities, which of course they will do.

The Burdeen Free Lecture Course closed last evening with a lecture from Mrs. General Custer. It has been successful from the start. Large audiences have been the rule, and appreciation of Mr. Leonard Thompson's generous gift, which made the Course possible, and the zeal and good judgment of the Trustees has been shown in the most encouraging manner by the people. Every lecture has been the best of its kind, in every instance highly meritorious, and not a poor production among them all. The Trustees are entitled to much praise for the success and happy ending of the course.

Attention is called to the advertisement of the Cooking Lectures to be given by Anna F. Bates, in Concert Hall during the month of March. Mrs. Bates is a graduate of the Boston Cooking School, and during the past winter has been an earnest student of Hygiene and Dietetics. Her aim is to introduce dishes that are simple in preparation and which will promote good health. Talks will be given at each lecture on Food and Health, also in relation to physical development. This is opportunity, in this age of indigestion, that few can afford to miss. Mrs. Bates has given several lectures (in other cities) on this all important subject, which been received with great enthusiasm and appreciation.

Mr. Horace N. Conn, the old, popular and successful insurance agent, has returned to this city to dwell and prosecute the business of Life Insurance, a line for which he is well adapted. His Boston office is at 8 Exchange Place. He is Agent for the Union Life Insurance Co. of Cincinnati, Ohio, one of the safest, best and most prosperous in the country. It shows the lowest death rate of any, is absolutely insatiable, allows freedom of travel and residence, and in cases of surrender gives paid up policies, cash loans, etc.

The weather last Sunday was simply delightful. It was more like mid-March than the beginning of the last half of February, and although the warm rays of Old Sol knew the snow piles with effect the sleighing remained intact and was taken advantage of by many people. Such beautiful winter weather as that of last Sunday is a boon.

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REAL ESTATE

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage, due and payable on the twenty-first day of May, 1888, and recorded with Middlesex County Deeds, Book 1842, Date 1888, in the name of the said mortgagee, I do hereby sell and convey, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction upon the premises described in the Deed, to wit: "The town of Woburn, A. D., 1895, at four o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the properties which are herein described as follows:—A certain parcel of land, with the buildings thereon situated, and containing about sixteen thousand three hundred (16,300) square feet, and being bounded on the north by the street, and on the northwesterly corner of the premises on Thorne street and at land of James Folsom; from thence the same runs easterly to a point on the street, thence seventy-five (75) feet to a private way; thence southerly, on said private way, one hundred thirty-four (134) feet to a point where the same is formed by George Johnson; thence westerly, by land last named, one hundred and fifty-three (153) feet to a point on the street, and thence to Folsom; thence northerly, on said Folsom's land as the fence now stands, one hundred and forty-eight (148) feet to a point of beginning; being the same premises conveyed to grantees by George Johnson by Middlesex County Deeds, Book 1844, Page 182. \$100.00 will be required to pay the purchase at sale, and the balance will be announced at sale."

TED MAS ALMON, Mortgagee.

J. G. MAGUIRE, Attorney.

Woburn, February 20, 1895.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

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Frequently the Rapierlike Snout Pierces the Yawl and Impales the Harpooner, Chief Employment of the Odd Denizens of Block Island.

Some 15 miles off the Rhode Island shore and almost directly south of stormy Point Judith is the rugged coast of Block Island, where each resident is a farmer and fisherman.

A quaint and old fashioned oceangoing vessel as the American coast affords is Block Island. It is a miniature world, in which the customs and habits are those of 150 years ago. Every knoll is capped with a small, one story farm-house, whose shingled walls are thickly coated with whitewash, the only wash that will withstand the intensely vaporous, salty air, which melts the contents of the salt cellars on the family tables into a thick, lumpy mass. Some of these dwellings are 150 years old, and the "old house" was built of lumber that grows on the island early in the last century.

Completely isolated in winter from the rest of the world, they take but little interest in any except their own concerns. A Bible, a few books of sea stories, a weekly newspaper and Daboll's ancient almanac furnish all the reading they wish, and stories of hogbacks and sea wreaths are the gossip of fireside and sea wreaths are the gossip of fireside and

the ocean.

His perforated vessel, which has been to fill with water, put back to the schooner. A canvas patch temporarily repaired the damage, and rowing back to the scene of the conflict the now defenseless but still infuriated fish was landed quivering on the deck of the smack.—*New York Herald*.

LOVE AND PROPOSALS.

How Men and Women Act In This Interesting Juncture.

There is a clever statistician who could teach a thing or two to the novelist. This statistician has attempted to classify the actions and methods of proposals, and as a result has presented tabulated figures which will interest the psychologists. Out of 100 cases 67 gentlemen take lady in arms, 67 gentlemen kiss lady on lips, four gentlemen kiss lady on cheek, three gentlemen show very good taste by kissing lady on eyes, and two gentlemen kiss lady on hand. It is to be presumed these two out of 100 are the timid, diffident kind, though it is possible that they might be of the quietly sentimental nature. One gentleman kisses lady on nose. It must be added that the statistician is careful to insert the saving clause—"by mistake."

It is interesting to note that a king in lady on edge of chair, but, frank goodness, there is only one in 100, and the chances are that this man is peculiar.

Twenty-two hold lady's hand, 17 hold it very tightly, 14 have lamps in their throats, and nine exclaim aloud, "Thank God!" Only seven out of 100 declare themselves to be deliriously happy, and five are too full for utterance.

Three out of 100 stand on one foot when they make proposal, and two go down on one knee, while nine make a formal prologue—something like the slow music at the playhouse when the violinists play solos to heaven to witness the consuming flame of his affection for the heart he plots to ruin, etc.

The behavior of the lady under the circumstances is equally entertaining and instructive. Out of 100 cases 81 sink into the arms of gentlemen, 68 rest their heads on gentleman's breast, and 68 sink into the arms of a chair.

Eleven clasp their arms around the gentleman's neck, six weep silent tears—silently, and 44 weep tears aloud—what ever that means. Seventy have two eyes full of love, and nine out of 100 rush from the room in a fury. They are only four, and are greatly surprised, and 87 of 100 know that something was coming.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

The presumption is that the legislative hearing on the great and all-important question of a Police Commission for Woburn will be given at the State House next Thursday. The general understanding is that F. P. Curran, Esq., will manage the case for the petitioners, and City Solicitor Lounsbury and S. J. Elder, Esq., will perform like duty for the remonstrants. It is likewise understood that large bodies of witnesses for both sides will attend the hearing, and that numerous Woburn spectators will be on hand when it opens. On that day the fate of our goodly city will hang in the balance.

The bill before the Legislature making it obligatory on School Committees of towns and cities in the State to furnish flags for all the schoolhouses in said towns and cities ought to pass unanimously. No better object lesson in patriotism could be presented to the eyes and minds of the rising generations than "Old Glory" floating over the schoolhouses.

Last Wednesday evening the Boston Record contained an illustrated article on Woburn politics which raised a breeze here. It was all about "Councilman Corcoran's Estimate of Aldermanic Bonuses for Licenses in Woburn" and judging from the stir it produced it cut to the marrow. The Record is smart.

Last Tuesday the House passed a bill to give counties three-eights of all monies received by towns and cities for liquor licenses. The committee reported adversely but the House enacted it by one majority. It is a question both sides of which will bear arguing.

According to reports there is but a slim chance for Mr. Strange et al. of this city to get set off to Stoneham by the Legislature.

Postmaster General Bissell threw up his portfolio last Wednesday and Congressman Wilson of West Virginia will take his place in the Cabinet.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

JOURNAL Nurse, Putnam & Co. H.O. Co-op. Bank—Notice. G. F. Jones—Houses. A. C. G. —Citation. Acme Cycle Co.—Wheel. Hotel & Co.—Sarsaparilla. J. W. Johnson—Citation. J. W. Johnson—Citation.

The Sons of Veterans met Wednesday evening.

Mr. John Duncan, Jr. is reported on the sick list.

Mrs. Downing and her son are settled in California.

Day before yesterday was Ash Wednesday, the beginning of Lent.

Ex-Alderman Newhall has moved into his new house at Sedgwick Park.

What's the matter with Cuneo & Crowe? Oh, Cuneo & Crowe are all right.

The Odd Fellows Encampment held a ball Wednesday evening. It was a success.

A brace of flimflam operators from Boston gathered a small harvest here last Saturday evening.

Mr. J. H. Naso's first spring Washington and Virginia excursion will leave Boston on March 27.

Mr. Herbert M. Seaver has leased the house on Bow street recently vacated by ex-Alderman Newhall.

Mr. John C. Plummer has sold his estate, 1 Sherman Place, and will build a house on his land on Bow st.

The community sympathize with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nichols in the death of their little boy of scarlet fever.

Last Wednesday evening the American Mechanics and Daughters of Liberty had an entertainment and supper.

Veteran Joseph Johnson fell a week ago and sprained his left wrist so severely that he was not able to get out until yesterday.

An experienced nurse for the sick would like employment in that line. Call at the JOURNAL office for further information.

Grip, scarlet fever and pneumonia are "swinging around the circle" in good shape in this city. All three come to us in a mild form, however.

Charles R. Rosenquist, 36 Green st. Woburn, sells New Sewing Machines for \$10.00 and up. Any first class make for \$30.00. Call or write—

The United States of Colombia where the revolution is in progress, is the home of Elisha J. Mann, a former Woburn resident. He is a planter there.

City Solicitor Lounsbury was prostrated with grip last Saturday and went to his office yesterday for the first time since. He is getting on nicely now.

Spring has got here at last, that is according to the almanac. Misses Potts claim that real spring does not come until March 21, but that is mere matter of opinion.

Preparations for the Pine Tree Club reunion, which takes place on March 15, are going ahead swimmingly. It promises to be a happy gathering.

The second concert by the Woburn Musical Society will be given at Lyceum Hall on Friday evening, April 5, next. It is safe to say it will be well patronized.

Everybody is glad to see Mr. Fred Hartwell on the streets and at his market again. He reports that with grip, fevers and the doctors, the neighborhood where he lives might be somewhat pleasanter than it has been for a couple of weeks past.

Mr. Charles M. Stratton is still laid up and is liable to be some weeks longer with a severely injured ankle, the result of a fall on a defective sidewalk near his store.

Prof. Frederic H. Lewis has been secured as organist by the First Congregational society, providing he is not offered and does not accept a more advantageous engagement.

According to Clerk Whitehead's notice the Co-operative Bank will hold its annual meeting to nominate officers at the Board of Trade Rooms at 7:30 Thursday evening, March 14.

Dr. George P. Bartlett says cases of grip, scarlet fever, etc., were never so numerous in this city as now, and never of such brief duration individually. They come quick, but not hard, and are soon over.

Patriots Day at the Orthodox church last Sunday was an occasion to be long and pleasantly remembered. An exceptionally fine programme was admirably rendered. The singing by the school was simply superb.

Mr. E. C. Leathé, the leading bicycle dealer in these parts, is putting things in order for a large spring and summer business. As President of Towns Club he is maturing some plans for good sport by and by.

The social held by the St. Charles C. T. A. S. and Ladies Auxiliary in Music Hall last Thursday evening was highly enjoyable from first to last. It was a very nice party. The music, refreshments, etc. were a la mode.

Anna F. Bates will give the first lecture in her course on Cooking on Tuesday afternoon next at two o'clock in Concert Hall. The menu is unusually attractive and consists of several practical recipes which will be prepared, garnished and served in a simple dainty style.

Edward Gurney of this city met with a serious accident at the McKee factory last Friday. He was at work with a circular saw and it not being in proper condition it caught and threw a piece of wood in such a way as to cut off the thumb and two fingers of his left hand.

Capt. E. H. Lounsbury of Charles Bowers Wino Camp, S. V., Woburn, attended the Annual Encampment of Massachusetts in Boston last week and was a member of the Committee on Resolutions. On the second day he indulged in some good speech making along with many other prominent members.

The Woburn Mutual Benefit Association has elected Timothy Calman President; Miss Kate M. Connolly, Vice President; John Maloney, Secretary; Lawrence Reade, Treasurer; Charles K. Conn, John H. Devlin, Dora T. Fuller, Margaret Walsh, Albert P. Barrett, Thomas Moore, Geo. S. Hudson, Thomas D. Hevey, Trustees.

Frequently people call at houses on Church Avenue and ask for those who do not live on that thoroughfare. The same thing happens as frequently on Church street which is half a mile away from Church ave. This having two streets named so nearly alike is very bothersome to strangers and our city authorities should remedy this evil, as they easily can.

Capt. Jacob M. Ellis, President of the Lebanon (N. H.) Pink Granite Company, went to New York last Wednesday to interview the architect of the Dartmouth College Memorial building about to be erected in relation to a change of plans. The Company's quarries of pink granite are only about 4 miles from Dartmouth College. Capt. Ellis will return tomorrow.

In view of the growth of the city and constantly increasing necessity for it, what a fine thing it would be to have a hospital in Woburn, as Waltham, Somerville, Malden and other enterprising communities have. We have a plenty of rich residents who would earn the gratitude of the people and an honorable name by putting some of their surplus money into one.

Mr. Gilman F. Jones received last Wednesday 23 horses from Mr. Edward Knott of Iowa which are on sale at the Central House stables. They weigh from 1000 to 1800 pounds apiece, roadster and workers, and are as fine a lot as ever came to Woburn. Mr. Knott has shipped horses to this market for many years and always dealt fairly and honorably by purchasers. See ad.

John Graham of Cummingsville met with a severe accident last Monday. He was teaming for Mr. Cutler, and in some manner slipped and fell beneath the wheels of his wagon which ran over his legs, breaking the right one between the knee and ankle, and badly crushing the other. Dr. Bartlett happened to be passing at the time and he fixed it up as best he could temporarily and ordered his removal to the Mass. Gen. Hospital.

It speaks well for the prosperity of our city and its future growth that the freight business of the B. & M. Company at this point has largely increased in the last few years and is growing right along. This is on the authority of Agent Junkin who, with his staff of employees in the freight office, is given all he can turn his hands to by the daily arrival of loaded cars and has to work early and late to keep up his end of the business.

Mr. Thomas B. Coolidge, who died at No. Woburn last week, will be buried at the Kendall and Tottenham Woods lots in the city of Woburn for a cemetery park. After providing handsomely for his nephew, Mr. Baldwin Coolidge, with whom he lived, the residuary legatees are the America Board of Foreign Missions, Congregational Home Missionary Society, America Missionary Association, and America Bible Society. Alfred C. Vinton of Woburn is the executor.

One of the sweetest pieces sang by Mr. Bancroft in his evening of "Irish Songs and Song Writers" in this city last week was "Seven Miles from Athlone" composed by Miss Belle Menard of this city and published by a well-known Boston house. Mr. Bancroft was charmed with the composition and has given it a prominent place in his repertory of choice selections for popular entertainments. Miss Menard's compositions include many beautiful songs which have become standard musical works.

The presentation of the portraits of Washington and Lincoln by Burbank Post, 33, G. A. R., to the Wyman School on Feb. 21, was a good thing to do. Hung in constant view of the school the portraits are an effective object lesson in patriotism, which cannot be too highly valued. An interesting programme was given by the School and excellent speeches were made by Dr. Bixby, John R. Carter, Charles A. McDonald, W. P. Warren; and A. P. Barrett, John Fickett, C. S. Richardson and others participated in the exercises. They cannot be to many of such parti pris affairs.

The authorities sought to buy the Dean estate located between the two woods given by the late Thomas B. Coolidge to the city and then throw them and the present purchase all together, then Woburn would have an extensive park in its northern section. They took Rag Rock for another, and the Boulevard all around Horn Pond, with Hammond Park, Wyman Green, and other contemplated acquisitions for like purposes, and who would have the hardihood to say, or even intimate, that Woburn's Park system would not beat that in this section of country.

T. J. Haggerty, one of the most popular letter carriers at the Boston office and lately appointed postmaster of Woburn, has received from the central office carriers as a mark of esteem a fine gold watch. Mr. Haggerty has been an efficient postal employee for many years and takes his new position with the well wishes of his co-workers and Postmaster Coverley.—Boston Traveler. The presentation was made at the office by Mr. Haggerty's son, Mr. H. A. Haggerty, and his wife, Mrs. Anna F. Bates.

The six fortunate winners were Misses Katie Barker, Edith A. Ham and Helen Ramsdell, who secured the first, second and third prizes respectively; these being a silver and crystal vinaigrette, a silver button-hook and a Japanese pin cushion. The gentlemen's prizes were a silver knife, a cribbage-board, and Brownie ornament, awarded to Messrs. Wallace Converse, John Andrews and John Hanson.

A charming collation was served and the final "mystery" on the program was reached, an auction sale, with Mr. Frederic T. Dow as auctioneer, of various packages securely tied. Beans were the current coin, and bidding was most brisk. The largest boxes were of course in greatest demand, but often proved deceptive, as the old adage again fell true in regard to the "best goods," etc. One young lady who was supposed to be especially favored, found herself the happy possessor of a large red jumping-jack.

The gifts, however, included many charming ornaments, making a substantial souvenir of a delightful occasion.

As Miss Madelaine was celebrating her seventeenth birthday, the company had more than one reason to breathe a heartfelt wish of many such happy returns.

It was voted that the Superintendent be instructed to have the janitor of each schoolhouse, once a week, fumigate the rooms and once the desks and chairs treated to a solution of bichlorate of mercury.

Mr. Jones reported that the appropriation for the construction of the Rumford School would be inadequate, and that it would require \$5000 more to finish the building and put in a heating and ventilating system.

Persons having tickets to the "Feast of Laters" which they took to sell confer a favor upon the secretary by returning them at their earliest convenience.

The regular Quarterly Meeting of the Association will be held next Tuesday evening, March 5, at 8 o'clock in the parlor. We shall endeavor to make the meeting an interesting one.

"Ladies' Day" at the Rooms last Sunday was a grand success and Concert Hall was literally packed, many persons were unable to secure seats.

The orchestra of young ladies furnished a rare musical treat and the address by Mr. J. B. Lewis was practical and to the point.

Additions to our library last week by Mrs. C. D. French, "The Life of John B. Gould"; by Miss Annie Richardson, "PICKWICK PAPERS" and "OLD CURIOSITY SHOP". The kindness of friends has been such that the bookcase recently given to the Association is already full and we are again in need of another.

The members of the Woman's Auxiliary are to be congratulated upon the

"Feast of Lanters," and those who worked so earnestly to bring it about will be glad to know that the goody

shoppe was realized toward the much needed piano. Right here let us thank the many kind friends whose assistance made such a result possible.

About sixty persons gathered in our rooms last Friday afternoon, and considered plans for the grand festival to be held in April.

The attendance was larger than at the similar meeting a year ago, and we were glad to see most of our old friends and also some new faces.

Doubtless the coming festival will take the form of an Electrical Carnival.

Prizes were offered the boys for selling tickets to the "Feast of Lanters," and fifty entered the contest with the following results: Harry Grothe sold 45 and received first prize, \$2.00. Harold Langill sold 30 and received second prize, \$1.00. Sherman Sanborn, Arthur Carpenter and Louis Waters each sold 20 or more and received a membership ticket in the Association for one year.

When so many people are taking advantage of Hood's Sarsaparilla, why don't you try it yourself? It is highly recommended.

Card of Thanks.

On behalf of my children and myself I desire to express our appreciation of the great kindness of the friends who did so much to assist us during the long illness of my husband, and who furnished the beautiful floral offerings for his funeral. May they all find solace and rest.

ELLEN T. BUCKLER.

Woburn, Mass., Feb. 27, 1895.

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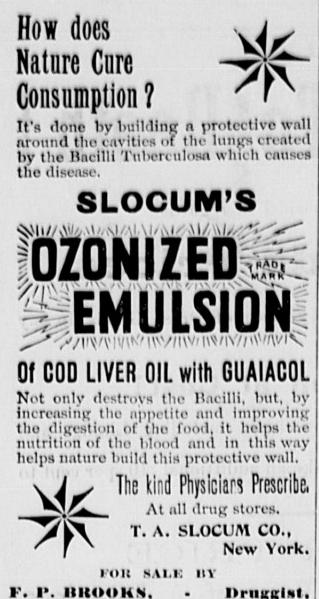
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MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

UNITED—Preaching by the pastor at 10:30 A.M.

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CIGARETTES AND THE TEETH.

A Dentist Says the Nerves In Them Are Killed by Nicotine Poisoning.

"There is one bad result of constant cigarette smoking that very few people know anything about," said a Brooklyn dentist. "The result itself has been apparent to me and to all dentists for a long time, but the cause has been a mystery until very recently. For years the nerves of teeth in every other way perfect have been found dead. A careful examination of a dead nerve found in an unexposed tooth recently revealed the fact that it had been poisoned by nicotine. I am sure the mystery referred to was so because nicotine is killing the nerves in the teeth of smokers. It is a most serious state of affairs, although most people will not understand. They think a dead tooth is as good as a live one. They will find their mistake some day."

"A young woman whom I have known for some time came here the other day and wanted a tooth attended to. I worked on the tooth some time, and some of the instruments I used should have made her scream a little bit. But she never made a sound, and I naturally concluded that the nerve of the tooth was dead. It surprised me because the tooth was a good one and the nerve unexposed. Well, I extracted the nerve, and the minute I saw it I knew what was the trouble."

"Do you want a live nerve left in your head?" I asked.

"Why, of course," she replied.

"Then stop smoking cigarettes," I said.

"Why, doctor, what do you mean? she began. Then she put on a great show of indignation.

"My dear young lady," I said, "what's the use of talking so? I'm a dental surgeon and know a thing or two about it. You have been smoking cigarettes for a long time, and my advice was given in a friendly, cheerful spirit." Well, she collapsed then, acknowledged the truth of what I had said, and then ended it. I don't know if she's a cigarette smoker, from this result of nicotine poisoning in with the many other injurious effects of the weed, but to my mind it is the most dangerous of all." —New York Sun.

THE MONEY ISN'T THERE.

A Pickpocket Who Was Foolish Enough to Steal a Lady's Pocketbook.

"I just swiped a leather, Jim," said a pickpocket to another of his profession as he sat across him sitting on a bench in Union Square.

"Was it you?" them purty ones what the women carries round street in der hand?"

"Yes, I swiped it up on Fif' avener when she was lookin inter er wind."

"If yerd be'd in de bimiz as long as I've been, yer wouldn't er took it."

"Why?"

"Tain't with it."

"A feller might strike or big haul, though, that way some time."

"Not on yer life he wouldn't. I've swiped a load on 'em, an I never got one yet that I could git a bear out on. Day don't carry money in dem leathers. Day got a load on 'em, an I never got one yet that I can't git a load out on."

Glaicing' about him warty to make sure that no one was watching him, the pickpocket opened the purse. He found three samples of silkoline, a patent glove button, a card advertising a lotion for removing blackheads from the face, a sheet of flesh colored court plaster, some samples of serum and Madras, a list of prices of carpets, a circular showing an illustration of a patent hose supporter, a card of small safety pins, two slabs of chewing gum warranted to cure dyspepsia and a card bearing her address and instructions to take her there if she met with an accident.

"That's all dore in it," said the man who had "swiped" the pocketbook as he turned it over, while wavin' shock at him, with a look of disgust on his face.

" Didn't I tell yer?" remarked the other. "The swiped dem tings till I'm tired. Day or all de same. Do wemen don't carry nothin but trash in 'em. De money ain't dere, never!" —New York Hera.

Do Not Sleep on the Left Side.

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MONEY MAKING.
The Quickest Way to Fill Up Wealth In
This Business Era.

The result of the modern difference in favor of business contractors of money making is not far to seek. It is the enormous growth in the scale of everything in which business can be done. The enterprise of a merchant, of a contractor, of a mine dealer, even of a shopkeeper, may now cover the whole world and may be carried on, moreover, mainly upon credit. It may be doubted whether, except in those transactions which are called "financial," and which really mean the taking of heavy bribes for pecuniary support, any one transaction ever yields quite as much as the same transactions would have yielded 60 years ago; whether, for example, any cargo ever produced ten times an equal amount of profit, or whether any customer in a shop pays quite so heavy a percentage on the goods he buys.

It is the magnitude and multiplication of carriages which yield fortunes, the thousands instead of hundreds of customers whom clever dealers may induce to spend money. The new system of rapid turnover is, of course, precisely the same thing—the dealer selling four times what he did and using only the same capital. This advantage of scale is almost entirely wanting to the professional man, for the obvious reason that he is hampered by limitations of time.

There are only 600 minutes in a hard worked day, and the customer after intervals of rest, while he may be seated or as rapid, must give some of those minutes to each patient or contractor with a difficulty to meet. If he does not, he loses custom, and with custom income rapidly slips away. There are no doubt favorite lawyers, doctors and even engineers whose advice is sought at great expense, when equally good advice is procurable much cheaper, but still the favorites must give their advice and lose their days in doing it, or they will speedily be deserted.

Nothing can alter this first law, while the exaggeration of professional fees is kept down in the case of solicitors by an opposite difficulty. The explanation here seems to be no reason why a great physician should not charge considerably more for his services than a barrister or a competition, which though never acknowledged, is none the less real and effective. We can not see what is to alter this condition of affairs, and do not believe that, however civilization may develop itself, professional skill will ever again be the quickest road to large accumulations.—London Spectator.

MME. ALBANI.

An Incident in Which Patti Answered a Remark to Her.

To a writer in The Woman at Home Mme. Albani has been giving some details of her life. "My voice is a certain asset to me," she said. "You think I always sound fresh and clear?" Well, I wish over and over again to help you to help me." And then I went to her to help me.

"Do you want a live nerve left in your head?" I asked.

"Why, of course," she replied.

"Then stop smoking cigarettes," I said.

"Why, doctor, what do you mean? she began. Then she put on a great show of indignation.

"My dear young lady," I said, "what's the use of talking so? I'm a dental surgeon and know a thing or two about it. You have been smoking cigarettes for a long time, and my advice was given in a friendly, cheerful spirit." Well, she collapsed then, acknowledged the truth of what I had said, and then ended it. I don't know if she's a cigarette smoker, from this result of nicotine poisoning in with the many other injurious effects of the weed, but to my mind it is the most dangerous of all."

—New York Sun.

THE MONEY ISN'T THERE.

A Pickpocket Who Was Foolish Enough to Steal a Lady's Pocketbook.

"I just swiped a leather, Jim," said a pickpocket to another of his profession as he sat across him sitting on a bench in Union Square.

"Was it you?" them purty ones what the women carries round street in der hand?"

"Yes, I swiped it up on Fif' avener when she was lookin inter er wind."

"If yerd be'd in de bimiz as long as I've been, yer wouldn't er took it."

"Why?"

"Tain't with it."

"A feller might strike or big haul, though, that way some time."

"Not on yer life he wouldn't. I've swiped a load on 'em, an I never got one yet that I could git a bear out on. Day don't carry money in dem leathers. Day got a load on 'em, an I never got one yet that I can't git a load out on."

Glaicing' about him warty to make sure that no one was watching him, the pickpocket opened the purse. He found three samples of silkoline, a patent glove button, a card advertising a lotion for removing blackheads from the face, a sheet of flesh colored court plaster, some samples of serum and Madras, a list of prices of carpets, a circular showing an illustration of a patent hose supporter, a card of small safety pins, two slabs of chewing gum warranted to cure dyspepsia and a card bearing her address and instructions to take her there if she met with an accident.

"That's all dore in it," said the man who had "swiped" the pocketbook as he turned it over, while wavin' shock at him, with a look of disgust on his face.

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It is probable that all the events recorded in Luke x, 17, to xviii, 48 and also in John x, come between the last lesson and this, and that Jesus is now on His way to Jerusalem, shortly before the last passover. While He was beyond Jordan Lazarus took sick, and the sisters sent Him word, but instead of hastening to see him, He tarried two days in the same place, and not till Lazarus was dead and buried did He set forth to awake him out of sleep (verse 1).

When Mary heard that He was coming, she went forth to meet Him, and afterward calling Martha Mary secretly she too went forth out of the town, Jesus tarrying where Martha had not been.

When the people in the house who had come together to comfort Martha and Mary saw Mary go forward hasty, not knowing what she had done, they followed her, supposing she had gone to the grave to weep there. They must have been poor comforters, for they knew not the comfort of the Lord.

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During a matinee performance of "M. Alphonse" at the Odéon theater Mme. Tessandier drew back, evidently in fear of a further discharge of fruit missiles, but by the impudent action of one of the gallery.

The actress was uttering the words, "I am off to New York," when an orange thrown from the highest seat in the house fell at her feet. Those who were on the stage with Mme. Tessandier drew back, evidently in fear of a further discharge of fruit missiles, but the actress coolly stooped down, picked up the orange and added to her last phrase the words, "What's that?"

"What's that?" whispered the stranger feebly lifting his head.

"Water," said the man with the glass.

The fallen stranger rose to his feet and stalked慢慢地 away.

"This is a one-horse town anyway," he hissed between his teeth as he stalked between his two sets of teeth, in fact—Rockland Tribune.

Diseased.

When the tall man slipped in front of the drug store and lay there apparently in a faint, a crowd quickly gathered.

Everybody with advice on hand took it out and proffered it.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

THE HEARING.

Allowing that there was no hitch in carrying out the programme the Legislative hearing on the matter of a Police Commission for Woburn was given yesterday at the State House. Both sides had employed legal counsel in anticipation of a sharp contest. As the result of a fortnight's work by three canvassers the petitioners appeared before the Committee with a position numerically, as well as otherwise, respectable, which was offset by a remonstrance equally numerously signed, or nearly so, and by men equally respectable. Gathering signatures for the remonstrance was the work of only three or four days instead of two weeks, as in the case of the petition.

This difference in the amount of work on the two sets of papers was due undoubtedly to the temper of the people. It daily becomes more apparent that a Police Commission for this city is not wanted. The scheme is too absurd for serious consideration by the Legislature. It is sneered at and made fun of by sober minded men, Republicans and Democrats alike oppose it; so also do nearly all persons of good standing in this community. It originated in cheap politics and is pushed by Ward politicians.

The petitioners should be given leave to withdraw, especially as the principle which they ask the Legislature to enact into law is diametrically opposed to the spirit of Republican institutions, that is, it deprives the people of the right of self-government.

LOST THEIR CASE.

The bill before the Legislature to allow women to vote in municipal affairs was defeated in the House last Tuesday by a large majority.

In those qualities which go to make up a thoroughbred moshback the average Massachusetts lawmaker is without a peer.

Representative Fowle, being a man of liberal views and sound sense, voted in favor of the bill. So also did Representative Bancroft.

CONGRESS ADJOURNED.

At noon last Monday the 53d Congress adjourned for good. As usual there was great hustling during its closing hours—so much so that a continuous session was held all day Sunday.

The appropriations and other matters of importance were rushed through at the last moment but the Hawaiian submarine telegraph bill failed.

The Legislative hearing last Tuesday on a petition for a general law to saddle the cities of this Commonwealth with Police Commissioners was a tame affair. General Martin, Chairman of the Boston Commission, aired his scheme to convert the Police into a semi-military organization and Dudley, who is liberally paid to serve as a standing temperature "reformer" before the Legislature, defended it stock of platitudes and exhibited a few stale samples of it. The Committee have the appearance of being men of good common sense, which fact taken in connection with an occasional suggestive question put by them to the witnesses, seemed to bode ill success for the un-patriotic attempt to deprive the sovereign people of their political rights by establishing "Commissions" to rule over them.

The current number *The Forum* contains an article from Senator Lodge entitled "Our Blundering Foreign Policy" which will be read with interest by everybody except the blunders. The distinguished writer of the paper criticizes in severe but merited terms the incompetency of Cleveland and Gresham in handling our foreign affairs, but he could have said even more in dispraise of them and still kept within bounds of justice and truth. Three typical cases were brought forward by the Senator in corroboration of his general statements. They were Hawaii, Samoa, and the surrender of the two Japanese students to the Chinese authorities to be cruelly slain as alleged spies. In spite of his aristocratic lineage and connections, his wealth, and political eminence, Senator Lodge is an American through and through.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

G. W. Codd—Cider.
E. G. Lewis—Honey.
M. S. Morris—Cigarettes.
Pettingill & Co.—Fellows.
L. D. Moore—Almond.
Unitarian Society—Cupper.
Charles Cummings—Horses.
Com. of W. H. Moore—Horses.
G. Hall & Co.—Dr. Tucker.

— March 11, Calender's Georgia Minstrels at Lyceum Hall.

— Mr. Geo. W. Copp has a card in this paper respecting cider.

— Important changes will be observed in the card Mr. H. N. Conn.

— The reunion of the Pine Tree Club has been postponed to April 12.

— Ladies, don't fail to read Mr. Willard Smith's announcement in this paper.

— Everybody says our new Road Master, Mr. Martin, will fill the bill in good shape.

— Calender's Georgia Minstrels are the best troupe on the road. Lyceum Hall, March 11.

— Mr. Charles M. Strout hopes to get his store again in a few days. He is in prime spirits.

— With a view of going into business Mr. W. R. McIntosh has resigned the office of Chief of Police.

— There was quite a lively display of electrical pyrotechnics during the slight rain on Monday evening.

— Particular notice is asked for the change in Mr. Bryant's real estate card in this paper. He deals in desirable property.

— Mr. Amos Cummings has endured quite a long spell of severe sickness but is recovering and expects soon to be better than ever.

— Mr. Freeman Blake of New York was visiting here last Tuesday. He may return and pitch his tent here again one of these days.

— Late advices from the M.D.s are to the effect that the Grip is losing its grip in this city. The cases are diminishing in number.

— A whole host of people went down to the State House yesterday to attend the legislative hearing on the Police Commission business.

— As predicted by the Weather Bureau quite a sizable blizzard struck this latitude last Tuesday. Summer however is approaching.

— Genuine "etherial mildness" has failed to put in an appearance up to date. The weather has been anything but balmy since March came in.

— Charles R. Rosengren, 36 Green St., Woburn, sells New Sewing Machines for \$10.00 and up. Any first class make for \$30.00. Call or write.—

— Rumors of some spring musical events are in the air. The Cecilius and the Woburn Music Society contemplate something good for the public ear.

— Mr. J. H. Nason's next District of Columbia and Virginia pleasure excursion will leave Boston on March 27. It will doubtless be a delightful one.

— It is said that Mr. L. E. Hanson will rent the store next to his recently vacated by Mr. McCormack as an addition to his present jewelry rooms.

— The Woburn Encampment, I. O. O. F., will give their next ball on Wednesday evening, March 27. Their last one was successful in all respects.

— The Farmers' Gymnasium at St. Jodwer's Red Barn, Woodchuck Hollow, Winchester, on next Tuesday evening, is going to be "a big thing on ice."

— Some of our people have taken in the Boston season of opera which closes this week. Mrs. Philbin, in Hill, has been quite constant in attendance.

— Read the list of names in another column which with many others, appear on the remonstrance against the proposed Police Commission for Woburn.

— Mrs. Bates begs to announce that she will give her second lecture next Tuesday at twenty o'clock, P. M. The subject will be "Fruit." Admission twenty-five cents.

— The concert by the Columbia Band, a rapidly rising musical organization of young men in this city, is to take place on March 20. Give the rousing greeting.

— Our good friend, Ben Chapman, the landscape painter, has been having his turn at the grip this week. He was taken suddenly last Friday and had quite a severe pull at it. He is better now.

— There was another snow storm last Wednesday afternoon. If poor Mark Allen had been around here this winter he would have been kept very busy recording the snow storms as they occurred.

— Miss Mertens Bancroft, organist at the Unitarian church and Musical Director of the Cecilius Society, was prostrated with grip two weeks ago, but is now able to attend to her professional duties.

— Mrs. Nellie Gooding is meeting with much encouragement from the public as proprietor of a first-class Home Bakery and Luncheon Rooms and we are glad of it, for she deserves a liberal patronage.

— The bunch of Western horses in the Central House stables shipped here by Mr. Edward Knott of Iowa last week are as fine as any that ever struck Woburn. Mr. Jones is selling them at reasonable prices.

— Last week Major Henry C. Hall paid a visit to his old home in Norridgewock, Maine. It was the Major's old home too, so when the Major got back he had many things of interest to relate to us. He had a pleasant time.

— Last Saturday morning Mr. Nathaniel Davis captured a picketed in Horn Point 25 inches long, 13 inches in circumference, and weighing 5 pounds. He was a big fellow and must have been a fish of influence when at home.

— It will be seen by all in this paper that a supper is to be given by the ladies of the Unitarian Society on Tuesday evening, March 14, in the vestries. The series of suppers given by the Society has been very popular so far.

— There are no less than 5 Chinese laundries in this city, "and still there's more to follow." The last arrival is Sam Sing who has opened a washed washine in the old Gooding restaurant room on 351 Main street. All of them are doing a good business.

— The Annual Town Reports of Burlington for 1894, a pamphlet of 60 pages, printed at Harry M. Call's job printing establishment in this city, is as neat a piece of typographical work as we have seen for many a day. No Boston office could have turned out a better job.

— Mr. Charles Cummings will re-serve at his stables, 35 Cambridge street, next Wednesday, a carload of strictly Canada horses, carefully selected by Mr. Thomas Eaton in Canada, which will be offered for sale as above. A better lot was never brought into Woburn.

— A certain advertisement in this paper looks as though Mr. E. C. Leath is going to push the bicyclic business if all is worth this season. He is not only "The Original Cyclone Man" in this city but the "Old Reliable" and as such does more business than all the rest of them bunched together.

— It is expected that a large party of Woburn Y. M. C. A. members will attend the unique and original entertainment, An Evening in the Farmers Gymnasium, to be given by the gymnasiums of the Winchester Association at Town Hall, Winchester, March 12, at 8 P. M. Tickets are on sale at the office of the Y. M. C. A. Rooms and Moore & Parker's. Mr. John Waters of this city will give the opening number, "Harvesters Drill."

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THE WOBURN JOURNAL, FRIDAY, MARCH 8, 1895.

City Government.

ALDERMEN.

Board met on Thursday evening, Feb. 28. Mayor Allen presided.

Benton, Todd and Benjamin H. Nichols drawn as jurors for the Superior Court.

Ordered printed the Annual Reports of Inspector of Provisions, Sinking Fund Commissioners, Chief Fire Engineer and Superintendent of Public Buildings.

Claim of Charles M. Strout for damages for personal injuries was referred to Committee on Claims in concurrence.

Report of the Finance Committee adopted.

COMMON COUNCIL.

The Board held a meeting on Thursday evening, Feb. 28. President Converse presided.

The report of the Finance Committee unanimously adopted. This is the annual budget.

Voted that no joint standing or joint special committee of the Common Council shall incur any expense or liability for the city on any matter referred to them unless the order of reference gives to the committee full powers.

Councilman Elia spoke.

A resolution to investigate Councilman Corcoran's charges of corruption against last year's Aldermen in the matter of liquor licenses made at a previous meeting was indefinitely postponed.

The following Assistant Assessors were elected: Ward 1, Thomas H. Dolan; 2, M. Clancy; 3, D. S. Doherty; 4, C. K. Conn; 5, James Cogan; 6, B. Frank Kimball; 7, W. A. Lynch.

Hugh Martin was elected Superintendent of Streets.

Voted to print 2000 copies of the City Reports.

The matter of increase of police force postponed. Councilman Elia urged present action. Adjourned.

THE APPROPRIATIONS.

The Finance Committee's Report, adopted as above, recommended the following appropriations: To be raised by taxation, \$113,211.13. Unexpended Balances and Dog Tax, \$23,697.15. Total, \$136,908.28. Those items which more particularly interest the taxpayers were: Fire, \$10,500; Health, \$30.61; Highways, \$10,000; Memorial Day, \$300. Municipal Building, \$1200. Police, 6,000; Printing, etc., \$2065.66; Relief of Poor, \$4,300. Schools, \$7,900.68; and un. bal. of \$199.32. Schools, \$50,037.27. Public Library, \$2,200.

"Dorcas" was given a grand production by the Woburn Hall and splendid company by Harry and Edward Paulson, authors of "Ermine" and "Noche." The music and lyrics are composed by Max Hirschfeld, and Boston's verdict is: a small production of a special comedy, overdone with delusive wit and brilliant wit, produced with exquisite costumes and magnificent scenery. At Saturday matinee a superb large sized photograph of Miss Hall will be presented as a souvenir of the occasion.

Once More

it seems proper for us to remind the readers of this paper that under the terms of the present Tariff Bill (which did not go into full effect until Jan. 1 of this year), prices on all sorts of Foreign

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are much lower than for years. Carpets made in this country are also at the very bottom. It follows from this that **This Spring** is the time of all others to buy Carpets.

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THE PARK.

Mr. Frank W. B. Pratt of Boston will be providing the entertainment at the Woburn Hall on Saturday evening, March 26, at 8 o'clock. President Converse presided at the meeting, and the attendance is increasing.

Eight new members joined the Woman's Auxiliary at the last meeting.

The ladies Prayer Meeting will be held in the Y. M. C. A. parlor next Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. All ladies are cordially invited.

As we thank the publishers of the *Woburn Standard* and *Missionary Herald* for their kindness in sending their papers to our Reading Room.

Mr. Smith at the 4 o'clock meeting on Saturday could receive no greater compliment than the close attention given him by the fifty boys there present.

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Annual Report of Building Committee of Woburn Woman's Club, Mar. 1, 1895.

MEMBERS OF WOBURN WOMAN'S CLUB:
Ladies—In June, 1894, as you are aware, there was a meeting by a unanimous vote of the Club's committee, having in charge the raising of money for procuring a permanent and suitable place of meeting that might be called our very own—for procuring, in fact, a club house.

It was decided that the money would probably go into our coffers that this house could be procured in one year, or in two, or in five. Nor was it thought best, in view of the stringency of the money market at that time, to make any attempt to raise money by issuing stock that might never bring in a return. We were also fully convinced that if such a committee had been formed twelve years ago, at the time of the organization of the Club, we might have had by the present time, money enough saved to procure a building by erecting a simple club house, or enough to pay down a certain amount towards the ownership of a building already in existence.

The meetings of your committee since then, up to June 15, 1894, have been frequent. The number of money raising schemes resulting from these meetings, have been four in number, viz.—the Kennan lecture occurring on October 15, 1894; the Sale held by the Directors of the Club on December 19; the District School given on December 21; and the Extra Meeting of January 1, 1895. These schemes have all, together brought us in \$392.31, a sum for which we feel exceedingly grateful, both to the sub-committees who have worked so busily, and to the public who have given so generously to the cause of our club to patronize our entertainments. The sub-committees appointed from the Building Committee, have been supplemented by committees from the Club at large.

The Industrial Room opened on Nov. 7,

1894, should not be counted, perhaps, as a money-raising scheme. It is more properly, a business enterprise prompted by a philanthropic spirit.

It is the first aim of the Woman's Club to be a social, as well as socially, intellectually, and even financially to all Woburn Women. It can be used in the first three ways, for the most part, to its own members only. But, financially, it can be used to all, to make Woburn women able to contribute something, even though but a small market value. Let the woman understand, that whether members of the Woman's Club or not, they are at liberty to offer for sale, the results of their handicrafts in this room.

If a sale is effected, a small commission is charged upon each article sold, in this scheme, a business enterprise, but it is a pawning one, for it has already netted us the modest sum of \$14.40.

In closing, let me say just a word, to the credit of our Club, in regard to the work and aims of the Woman's Club and especially of its Building Committee. It is not our intention to get rich at the expense of older and more important organizations, nor to forget church and domestic duties in our desire to raise money for the building of a club house. We do not aspire to be rich at all, only like young people just beginning house-keeping, to own a little spot right in the heart of the town, that we may call our very own, to have a home every day in the week, and every hour in the day.

Journey from North Woburn to Wool's Hill, nor from Academy Hill to the Highlands, only to find committee meetings about to adjourn for lack of a quorum—a quorum that cannot be got together owing to the great distance to be travelled.

Every committee woman goes frequently to the centre of the town. She would be only too glad to attend meetings there. Every Club woman longs for a central place that she may be enabled to go to her without charge, for the convenience of her Reading Club, or her class in Literature, or in Parliamentary Law. She longs for the same inspiration that the Club women of Philadelphia or of Philadelphians or of our own Andover, feel, from the frequent and congenial intercourse afforded by the membership of club houses.

Do you, women, feel the surety of a helpful and united sisterhood for us in the days to come? Then make your husbands feel that clubs and domestic circles are made up of well-informed, cheery and inspiring wives as were never before known, and the day is now—the club house is ours!

Respectfully submitted,

JENNIE K. ADAMS,
Ch. Bldg. Com.

Burlington.

Mr. Harry M. Catt, the prompt and artistic Woburn job printer, finished the Burlington Town Reports on Thursday evening, and a finer job no one would wish to see. Mr. Catt also printed our paper, and we are all more than satisfied with it.

Respectfully submitted,

S. H. FOLSON, Register.

Woburn, Feb. 28.

Plumbing Furnaces
Parlor Stoves and Ranges
— AT THE —
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WOBURN
Co-operative Bank.
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

A meeting of the Shareholders will be held on
Thursday, Mar. 14, 1895,
at 7:30 o'clock P. M.

in the Board of Trade Rooms, Dow's Block,
for the purpose of making nominations for Officers
and Directors, and of transacting such other business
as may be brought before the meeting.

A. W. WHITCHER, Clerk.

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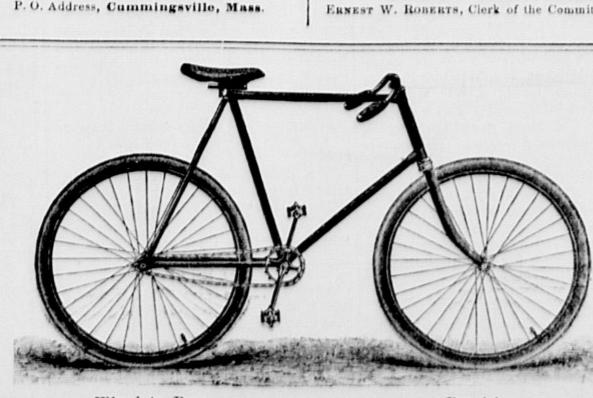
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These are prices that cannot be duplicated when the
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Woburn, the publication to be one day at least
before said date.

Witness, CHARLES J. MCINTIRE, Esq., Judge
of Probate Court, this twenty-fifth day of February,
in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

S. H. FOLSON, Register.

You are invited to call and see the work at Room
6, Mechanics Building.

THOMAS SALMON, Mortgagee.

J. G. MASCURE, Attorney.

Woburn, February 20, 1895.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all
other persons interested in the estate of Fred M.
Hawkins, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased:

WHEREAS, certain instruments purporting to
be of record in the office of Probate Court, in said
County, of said deceased have been presented to said Court
by Alfred C. Vinton, who prays that said instru-
ments be admitted to record, and that the same be
published by giving a copy thereof on his behalf.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give
public notice thereof by publishing this citation
once in each week, for three successive weeks, in
the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper published in
Woburn, the publication to be one day at least
before said date, or by mailing, or posting, or
otherwise serving the same on the heirs-at-law, and
persons interested in the estate, seven days at least
before said date.

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"Would I the years were twenty?" No.

"I long for the days of yore. Then
Myself I have scarcely doubted."

Since I've toiled and failed and fought
Hoped and regretted, learned and taught—

So, home, where I am, in my mate,
Why should I weary of my mate?

I ask no marvel of surprise,
Flushed cheeks or unquenched eyes,

No, there holds there any spell for me
In time past, when I was young.

Let the peach apple hang, though ripe
With fragrant perfume, like my wife.

Who is she, who shines fair and good,
The rinedeaf of womanhood?

Who crowns my measure to the lip
With fit and full, and ample—

More, more, to the girl I love;

I need the woman that I know.

—Blackwood's Magazine.

County and Country Crop.

For, say, 10 years, the crop of the weathering "country" boy's hair in England has been cut in shorter and shorter, so that today hair is worn in many cases as close as the barber's shears can get. A closely cropped head, 50 years and less ago, was in country places looked upon with some suspicion; for then only prison birds just out of duress appeared with closely shorn heads, and this cut was popularly known as the "county crop," indicating that the wearer of the short hair had been barbed at the expense of the country.

If any man was bold enough to appear with his hair cut short, the words "conceited" and "arrogant" were from all sides, and in the same manner the school lad who came to school with his hair cut shorter than was the country fashion had his life made miserable in the same way, until such time as his hair had grown again. The "county crop" was a different matter altogether.

Bartender's work was done on men and boys in many instances by home by mothers and grandmothers, and their mode was to put a large basin well back on the crown of the head and then shear round the edge of the basin, making a clean sweep of all the hair which projected below it. This was the "country crop."—Notes and Queries.

Mr. Smith took salmon.—Pearson's Weekly.

Plum Pudding Thin.

A story has got into print of a Frenchman who, eating plum pudding for the first time, was so pleased with the dish that he begged his English hostess to give him the recipe for it. This she did, and he took it home for an early test at his own manor. His wife, on learning his enthusiasm, elected to serve him one day, and the dish was served at dossers in a soup tureen and in soup plates. Not recognizing the mixture, the master of the house asked what it was and was told it was "plum pudding." When he disputed this, he was confronted with the real recipe. Alas! those who gave it to him were formed in the cloth! All the ingredients had been put, according to directions, into a pan of boiling water, had been cooked the prescribed time, and the result was soup.—New York Times.

Clean Sweep.

"I don't see why they say the De Spug girls got their beauty from their mother."

"They probably took all there was."

—Detroit Tribune.

Effect of Environment on a Watch.

"It is curious to notice the effect of certain atmospheres upon timepieces of a certain kind," said A. Graham of Chicago. "I have a watch of the old fashioned type, which I always carry with me wherever I go, first, because it's a curiosity, and, secondly, because it is a gift from a much beloved friend. Well, this watch has a habit of running ahead of time. In my own city, or here in St. Louis, for example, it gains five minutes a month. That is terrible. The trouble is, because it means nearly two hours a month. I have a way of letting it run for a length of time, say six months, so that it regulates itself practically in that time. It manages to make about 12 hours, and when a timepiece is that much ahead of or behind time it is just as good as if it were perfect. A short while ago I was compelled to visit Philadelphia, from which city I am just returning. During my stay there the watch lost five minutes a day, and the loss was as regular as the gain was in Chicago or in your city. I have a theory upon this."

"I believe that the movements of a man have more or less effect upon a watch. Now, almost every man readily falls into the ways and gait of his fellows. In Chicago or in St. Louis every man likes to be five minutes ahead of time. In Philadelphia, every one says: 'Well, there's no hurry. Five minutes behind time will make no difference,' and from this follows that slow, easy gait which is the most striking characteristic of the Quaker City. It would seem the watches keep time in the same fashion, as if in sympathy with their owners. So you see there is pretty good reason for the allegation with regard to Philadelphia's proverbial slowness."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Magic in India.

Some recent travelers who have seen the magicians of India reported that the skill of these jugglers has been over-

rated, and that their tricks are really less wonderful than they have been said to be. But Mr. Keller, who is himself a slight of hand expert, thinks differently. He says that the Hindoo wizards perform tricks that he can neither duplicate nor understand, so marvelous are they. This is what he relates of one whom he saw at the Chudderunzil club at Lucknow.

"He took a board and placed it on four glass goblets, thus elevating it from the floor. A youngster sitting on the board was requested to place his hands together, palms up. Then the juggler took a glass of water and poured it into the outstretched hands of the boy. In the meantime the boy had been mesmerized, and his attention was fixed on a point indicated by the magician. Gradually the water turned green in color and then dissolved into a jelly which was then collected into a jelly which was sold as a stone. Out of the center of this appeared the head of a snake, which gradually developed until in the place of the water there appeared a hissing reptile. I was amazed. I can assure you, but the trick was not yet completed. Hitting the reptile upon the head with his wand, the juggler took it up carefully and placed it back into the glass. As we looked it became transformed into a jelly, which in turn melted into a greenish colored water. Clearer and clearer became the fluid until it was of its original color again. A younger player then hit the lips and drank the entire contents. This was the most wonderful trick I ever saw performed, and it is as mysterious to me today as it was then."—New York Advertiser.

Mark Twain's Criticism.

There is only one expert who is qualified to examine the souls and the life of a people and make a valuable report—the native novelist. This expert is so rare that the most populous country can never have 15 conspicuously and confessedly competent in stock at one time. The native species is not qualified to begin work until he has been working during 35 years. How much of his competency is derived from conscious "observation"? The amount is so slight that it counts for next to nothing in the equipment. Almost the whole capital of the novelist is the slow accumulation of unconscious observation—absorption.

The native expert's intentional observation of manners, speech, character and ways of life can have value, for the native knows what they mean without having to decipher them. But this can never be determined to see a foreigner get at the right meanings, catch the elusive shades of those subtle things. Even the native novelist becomes a foreigner, with a foreigner's limitations, when he steps from the state whose life is familiar to him into a state where life he has not lived. Bret Harte got his California and his California by unconscious absorption and put both of them into his tales alive, but when he came back from the Pacific to the Atlantic and tried to do Newport life from consciousness—conscious observation—his failure was absolutely monumental.—Mark Twain in North American Review.

He Took Salmon.

"I say, 'Gadzooks,'" said Mr. Smith as he came into the fishmonger's with a lot of tackle in his hand. "I want you to give me some fish to take home with me. Put them up to look as if they've been caught today, will you?"

"Certainly, sir," said the fishmonger. "How many?"

"Oh, you'd better give me three or four barrel. Make it look decent in quantity without appearing to exaggerate, you know."

"I suppose you'd better take salmon, on, hadn't you?"

"Why, what makes you think so?"

"Oh, nothing, except that your wife was down here early this afternoon and said if you dropped in with your fishing tackle and a generally woebegone look to have you take salmon if possible, as she knew that kind better than any other."

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The Plain Facts.

The Norwegian bill will place one saloon to 200 persons instead of 100 as now in Boston, and one to 100 elsewhere in the state. It will cut down the hours of saloon, now from 6 a.m. till 11 p.m., to from 8 a.m. to 10 p.m. It will remove all allurements to drink in place of the splendid quarters, the free lunch, the "decoy" girls, the women who are to be won over, the vicious now deliberately conspiring to tempt men to drink. It will eliminate private profits, which alone cause the bustiness to be pushed, and will devote every dollar of profits either to preventing or stamping out vice. It will take the trail of out-of-politics, which are now at universally demolished by it.

The bill does not interfere with police license, but everywhere encourages it. It will be an alternate form of license, where bars will be open to 100 persons, and 200 to 250 persons. Shoefields will be open in the sight of the best man's card, lying loose in the delicate satin lined case. But not less lovely to her seems the little set of fruit knives, the gift of a friend whose family has met reverses of fortune since they were in the young ladies' school together, while she goes into transports over the Japanese woman near neighbor has presented in person.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

STRIKE OFF.

The great strike of the Haverhill shoemakers, which has lasted many weeks to the great detriment of the workmen, was declared off last Sunday night by a large majority of the meeting held to consider the situation.

It was a repetition of the same old story. In every labor revolt of any magnitude in this country the strikers have invariably lost the game.

And still they seem to gain no wisdom nor learn any salutary lesson from repeated failures. They go right on striking and will, probably, to the end of time.

TOTALLY UNTRUE.

The little squad of originators and promoters of the Woburn Police Commission have been industriously retailing the story that Hon. W. S. Knox, Congressman from this District, is aiding and abetting them in their work.

The story is absolutely and unequivocally false.

Mr. Benjamin Hinckley, Col. W. T. Grammer, Lawyer George F. Bean, Mr. George F. Hosmer and Mr. Lawrence Reade gave important testimony at the legislative hearing on the Woburn Police Commission bill last week.

They were opposed to the measure and what they said was in marked contrast to the statements submitted by the other side. Hon. John M. Harlow of the Governor's Council, and Captain Edwin E. Wyer, were chiefly relied on by the petitioners for facts and arguments in favor of the bill, and while they were candid and fair, their testimony respecting the case at bar could in no wise be considered as in the highest degree helpful to the scheme for a Commission. Mr. Griffin Place, Mr. Eliam and Rev. Dr. Crawford also spoke on that side. At times the language of Mr. Hinckley was particularly strong and telling. He met and disposed of the wild statements of Dr. George A. Crawford in a very effective manner and demonstrated, as it must have appeared to unbiased minds, the infutile of the proposed attempt to interfere with Woburn's local affairs. Col. Grammer made many strong points in his testimony. Samuel J. Elder, Esq., of Boston conducted the side of the remonstrants with marked ability. He is a sound lawyer and occupies an enviable place in the front ranks of the profession. Lawyer F. P. Curran of this city appeared for the petitioners and faithfully discharged the trust reposed in him; but somehow there did not appear to be that life and vigor in his work that he usually puts into it. The remonstrants were very much pleased with the showing they made, whatever the result of the hearing might be.

Why do not the Woburn Aldermen wish to know exactly what information Councilman Corcoran has regarding bribery in connection with the distribution of 1894 liquor licenses? The indefinite postponement of an investigation order at the meeting last evening was a peculiar proceeding.

The present Aldermen have no interest in the liquor affairs of last year nor had Councilman Corcoran's charges any reference to them. It is generally believed that the applicants for licensees in 1894 were most unmercifully squeezed and it was to this that Mr. Corcoran alluded. But all that is "ancient history" now, and we fail to discover any profit that can accrue from the old story.

On last Monday evening Mayor Allen informed a JOURNAL man that no Chief of Police would be appointed this week nor next week either probably. The Mayor does well to take proper time to consider the matter. There are several applicants the major part of whom stand no more chance of getting the office than the Editor of the JOURNAL does, nor half as much.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

Main St.—To Let.
Canal St.—To Let.
D. L. Smith, Real Estate.
Manor—Real Estate.
Mrs. Fogge—Millinery.
H. C. Goss—Grocer.
Wyo'r Court—For Rent.
M. S. Ayer—Hygiene & Rec.
Boston—F. W. Nichols & Jefferson.
City—Civil Service Examination.
W. F. Cummings & Co.—Spray Pump.

Read about a lady canvasser wanted in this paper.

The St. Charles and Stoneham teams will play polo to-night at the rink.

Mr. S. Frankford Trull will soon commence work on his new house.

Mr. Plummer is making important improvements in his Bow street house.

Read the card of Nichols & Brooks in this paper and profit by the perusal.

The portrait of ex-Mayor Murray has been added to the group at City Hall.

"God's Love It Shines Still" will be published in the next issue of the JOURNAL.

Mr. F. H. Lewis selected the piano for the High School and got it at a great bargain.

The cooking lecture will be given next Tuesday at two-thirty P. M. The subject: "Eating."

Last Sunday's Boston Courier said that Mr. and Mrs. William Beggs were then at Monterey, California.

James McGrath's store looked like a full fledged of July last Wednesday. It was a great celebration.

Persons wishing to hire good tenements at reasonable figures will do well to call at No. 74 Canal st. See ad.

The public evince increased interest in the cooking lecture. The instruction is invaluable; the work entertaining.

Peter Carlson has purchased the Plummer estate on Sherman Place, and it will make him and his family a fine home.

Linwood Hanson, the well-known jeweler, has the finest stock of walking sticks ever offered for sale in Woburn.

The annual sale and supper of the Unitarian Chapel Society will be held on Wednesday evening, Mar. 20, at the chapel, N. W.

— Reserved seat ticket sale for the grand concert of the Woburn Musical Society will open at Whitcher's on Friday evening, March 22.

— The Woburn Musical Society, the pride of the place, will give its second concert on Friday evening, April 5, to Mr. Secretary Crosby informs us.

— Frank K. Foster, John F. O'Sullivan and A. A. Carlton were the speakers at the meeting of banners and curriers last Tuesday evening.

— The N. W. S. R. cars were draped in black last Monday out of respect for the memory of Supt. Brookway whose funeral occurred on Thursday forenoon.

— Charles R. Rosengren, 36 Green St. Woburn, sells New Sewing Machines for \$10.00 and up. Any first class make for \$30.00. Call or write.—tf.

— The School Committee have asked the City Council to build a 10-room brick schoolhouse on the centre of the lot and a 4 room near Walnut Hill Street.

— The Master of the St. Charles troupe who is to give a comic evening at Lyceum Hall. It is going to be one of the best entertainments of the season.

— On and after Monday, March 18, the New York mail now delivered at 1 P. M. will be delivered throughout the whole city on the first delivery at 8 A. M.

— The eclipse of the moon on last Sunday night was eclipsed by bodies of clouds and but few people here were blessed by a sight of it although the transit was eagerly watched by everybody.

— The attention of the public is called to the notice displayed in the Post Office window concerning the delivery of mail on Sundays. It is not to open until 10 A. M., and at that time all the mail is sorted and ready for delivery.

— The fire alarm machinery is all out of gear. When the alarm was rung on Tuesday morning only the gong performed duty, the bell putting in an occasional stroke to prove its sympathy and show that it still lives.

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THE NOW AND THEN.

The globe, like all the universe
That fills the boundless void,
With all its wastes, writhes tick
Its high appointed round.
The most of need is laid on man,
He meets it with his will;
They're all the same, fate, and Jack
And Jill went up the hill!

Oh, baseless fancies of the air!
Oh, youth's enchanted lands!
What castes made of dreams are reared
To fancy's shifting mists!
Ashamed Edna is a lot
Of every son and daughter
Ever goes into the world. They went
To fetch a pair of water.

What we have been taught of fate?
Dark and gloomy is the gaze
Man out to eradicating the gaze
Where suns live but die;
Valentines aye, aye, aye, aye,
His love, his earnest, his daughter,
Then Jack fell down, and broke his crown,
And Jill came tumbling after.

Each heart some trace of Egypt has,
Where runs, lies, lies,
And certain all sphinx looks up
At the wily who's a wile.

Perhaps the hill the pair went up
Was a tank built by the town
And scared to death they'd walk it down.
Might break ere they walk it down.—
—Philadelphia Times.

THE BIBLE.

Manuscripts of the New and the Old Testaments in Hebrew.

The New Testament, as we know it, comes down to us after having been kept for hundreds of years in manuscript form by the priests, "fathers of the church," and others. The writings have been copied and recopied probably scores of times, at least as often as occasion required, being always renewed before becoming unintelligible by use and wear. The two oldest of these manuscripts now known are the Codex Sinaiticus and the Codex Vaticanus, each of which dates from the fourth century, A. D. The languages originally used in this work were Hebrew and Greek, but after the year 300 A. D. the manuscripts were all copied over, all written in Latin. The last mentioned language was that adopted by the Roman church in their translations and was known as the "Vulgate," because commonly used in the churches. As far back as the seventh century portions of the Vulgate were translated into old English, and it was also the version used by Wickliffe (Wyclif), Purvey and their predecessors and was the first book printed from movable type, 1450-5.

Tyndale's version was from a German translation of the original Greek, made by Martin Luther.

The "authorized version" or King James' translation, was made by 47 of the most eminent British scholars and was published in the year 1611. The Latin Vulgate was the main version used by them; but, so far as they were accessible, other manuscripts, both in the Greek and Hebrew, were consulted and compared.

The manuscripts of the Old Testament have had similar experiences, having been written and rewritten thousands of times since the first collection was put in writing by the priests and leaders of the Israelites, about the year 1500 B. C. All of the older copies have, of course, been worn out or lost ever since long before the birth of Christ, the oldest copies in manuscript form now in existence, so far as is known, dating from the year 500 A. D.—St. Louis Republic.

Jewish Immunity From Disease.
Out of a total population in New York of 1,891,000, 70.46 per cent, or 1,333,000, live in 39,128 tenement houses. Apartment houses of the better class are not included among tenement houses. It is a somewhat remarkable fact that the lowest death rate in the city is in one of the most thickly settled tenement house districts, occupied by some of the poorest people, in the wards where the Jewish population is the densest. The death rate among the crowded Jews was in 1891 only 18.73 to each 1,000, and in 1893 only 17.14. The comparatively cleanly habits of these Jews, the observance of the Mosiac law about purity and the abstention from alcoholic liquors are given as explanations of their low death rate.

In the Italian districts the death rate is double what it is among the Jews and the population not so dense, and even in the wards occupied by wealthy people the death rate is greater than among the Jews. The Fourth, Fourteenth and Eighth are the Italian wards, and the death rate in 1893 was 33.78, 35.12 and 31.98 respectively.—Springfield Republican.

The Kaiser's Uniforms.
The task of looking after the uniforms and other costumes of the Emperor William is by no means a sinecure. All these different and greatly varying articles of attire, as diversified as those at the disposal of a star actor, are carefully kept, systematically arranged and in large wardrobes, and at the head of the department is an official entitled the obergarderohber, who has under his command two valets de chambre. The naval uniforms are placed under the charge of an ex-officer of the German navy. Before the emperor undertakes any one of his many expeditions the obergarderohber is provided with an exhaustive list of all the dresses and other paraphernalia that will be required.—London Tit-Bits.

Knew All About It.

Overheard in crowd watching a balloon:

Mrs. Harris—How do they make the balloon go up?

Mrs. Gamp—They toss some sand out, to be sure.

Mrs. Harris—And what do they do when they want to come down?

Mrs. Gamp—They put some more in, of course.—Pick Me Up.

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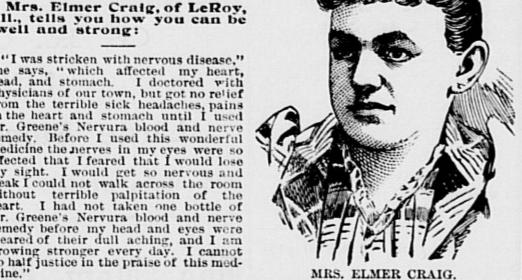
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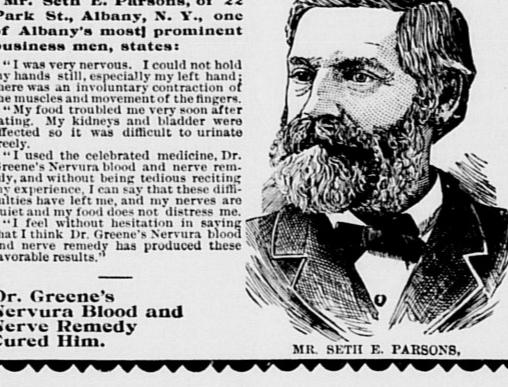
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I could not hold my head straight, and
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Probably the action of the Committee in referring the question to the next Legislature killed it.

The remonstrants, feeling that they have won in a just cause, warmly praise the Committee for their good, honest work.

THE RIGHTS OF IT.

Commenting on an editorial item in the JOURNAL respecting the Legislative hearing on the bill to create Police Commissions for all the cities of the Commonwealth the *City Press* of Malden, a Republican paper, last week, made the following timely and sensible suggestions:

"The Legislature every year is always trying to centralize authority more and more. Gen. Martin, and his gallant gun militia police, all governed by one central head (and that, of course, for the present must be Martin) is a step too far and should be frowned upon.

"Police Commissions are wrong in theory as well as practice, and there should be no more of them established."

"Local self-government is our motto every time. More Commissions mean less democracy."

Replying to a query of *The Record* the WOBURN JOURNAL says:

"It is generally believed that the applicants for licenses in 1894 were most unmercifully squeezed and it was to this that Mr. Corcoran alluded. But all that is 'ancient history' now, and we fail to discover and profit that can accrue from resurrecting the old story."

It has been generally supposed that 'squeezing' of this sort in any city or town had a direct and most vicious influence. The Lexow committee did not somehow, disdain, to go into just the same kind of 'ancient history,' with great profit to everybody.—*Boston Record*.

Possibly we were unduly suspicious, but it occurred to us that *The Record* in its first item meant to convey the impression that the present Board of Aldermen in this city indefinitely postponed an order to investigate last year's license matters on personal grounds—through fear of the effect of such investigation on some of its members—which if true would be unjust. We agree with *The Record* in the desireability of a thorough overhauling of the business, but not at the expense of innocent parties.

Major Allen is running his end of the city government himself. He is showing everyday that he is something more than a figurehead. The people who thought he would be an easy prey to their wiles and blandishments are said to be quite a good deal disgusted with his official independence. We are firmly convinced that he will, as far as possible, stop illegal rummeling in this city, and for that he deserves and will receive the commendation of all decent people.

In "Oppose the Old South" last Sunday's *Boston Courier*, regarding the scheme to abolish the Boston Common Council, an unwarrantable and preposterous proposition, is to be found some sound and excellent reading on the subject of popular sovereignty which a few men in Woburn who are trying to stop the people of their right to self-government do well to peruse.

THE STATE COMMISSION ON THE UNEMPLOYED.—This inures to our esteemed fellow citizen, D. F. Moreland, Esq., another year in the service of the State. He and his fellow members have done a good work so far.

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If there ever was a time when water-carts were needed on our streets it has been this week. The dust has been simply awful.

The government weather reporters have just a little off color for a week past. The weather has not been as promised by them.

Miss Josie A. Day, Principal of the Highland School, has been quite ill for several weeks but is now better and mending daily.

Our friend, Mr. Henry Sheldon of Woburn, has favored us with a copy of a dated 1712 which will be published next week.

Rev. Dr. Cutler, at which the Woburn Concert Society has in this paper concerning a concert, A headed "reader" likewise discourses on the same subject.

No one can justly complain of a lack of old fashioned March weather this year. It has been of the kind we read and hear old people talk about.

Charles R. Rosenthal, 35 Green St. Woburn, N. H., Manufacturing Machines for \$100 and up. Any first class make for \$800. Call or write.—f.c.

The Board of Health Committee to inspect the schools for scarlet fever germs—Doctors Graves, Bixby and Chase—have been attending to that duty this week.

It is reported that Rev. Hugh Montgomery, the predecessor of Rev. Dr. Cramond as pastor of the M. E. church in this city, is ill in his house.

Rev. William C. Barrows, pastor of the First Baptist church in this city, presented at the Tabernacle in Boston last Monday.

Last Saturday the "Mary Ann," under the leadership of jeweler Nichols, were busy digging worms for their next fishing excursion in Massachusetts Bay.

Mr. John Knight of Sturgis, St., 90 years old next week, came to the JOURNAL office last Wednesday and renewed her subscription. She is a very smart old lady.

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Literary Notices.

We have received from its author Hon. Joseph O. Barrett, Secretary of the State Forestry Association for the State of Minnesota, a copy of "The Forest Fire Planters Manual" for 1894, which on examination we find to be a work of genuine merit. It contains a wealth of information respecting an important subject of forestry and is an invaluable guide to the tree raisers on the prairies beyond the Mississippi River.

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DEATH IN THE AIR.

A changeable climate is the most expensive preservative for health and cold weather is a prolific breeder of the disease. It is contracted by exposure to wet and inclement weather, from standing or sitting with cold feet; by going from hot and over-crowded rooms into the keen night air, and by sitting in draughts.

The proper way to treat pneumonia is to prevent its development.

Have a care that you are sufficiently clad to meet inclement and changeable weather. See that your feet are well exposed to the air; this do not result in cold. If a cold is contracted check it at once before pneumonia is developed; for it is a well known fact that a protracted cough may suddenly develop into pneumonia, with a slight attack of cold. Don't let the disease make any headway, and take the system against it by rich, nutritious, liquid food. This can be accomplished in no other way so well as by the liberal use of Ozonolium, an ozonated preparation of Cod Liver Oil with Camphor, prepared by A. Steiner Co., New York, and sold by all Druggists. Taken early, when the first symptoms of the cold appear, it cures it promptly and prevents the development of pneumonia. It is a well known fact that strong food is the most formidable foe of pneumonia. It keeps the blood well nourished and puts the tissues in such a condition that they throw off the cold and thus resist the disease.

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BY PHILLIPS BROOKS.

The following poem, never before published, was found in one of Phillips Brooks' early notebooks, in which he jotted down thoughts and memoranda.—Boston Transcript.]

Along the noisy city ear,
On this dreariest of days,

Perplexed with business fret and jar,

What suddenly a young, sweet face
Looked on my petulance and pain
And lent it something of its grace
A smile, a look, a gentle strain.

The day was just as bleak without,
My nothingness just as cold within,
And truth was just as full of doubt,
The world just as full of sin.

But in the light of that young smile
The world grows pure, the heart grows
Warmer,
And sunshine gleamed a little while
Across the darkness of the storm.

I did not care to seek her name,
I only said "God bless thy life,
Thy sweet young grace be still the same.
O happy mad and happy wife."—P. B.

GRANDMOTHER.

She Does Not Keep Pace With the Advance of Medical Science.

We all know just what adorable creatures all grandmothers are, and how they cannot do enough for the little ones belonging to their sons and daughters. Now, without wishing to appear ungrateful for their services, we are also mothers, who think themselves quite capable of caring for their own babies, and the continual and persistent contrary opinion of grandma becomes after a time vexations rather than help-fuL

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Babies need as varied treatment as plants do. What may have answered splendidly for grandma's dozen might prove quite the reverse of beneficial for the six or twelve youngsters, and even though a baby is a novelty to that young mother, nature will be her best teacher. It is well known that a grandmother must remember that she had to be initiated in her superior baby training before she could pose as an oracle, and would she have been pleased to have had her authority wrenched from her by a wiser somebody who scorned her methods and ridiculed her lack of wisdom?

When the young mother asks for advice, it is time enough to give it to her. She is certain to do so and will appreciate most kindly the valuable hints the more experienced mother can give her, but she need not feel embarrassed if the words of advice are thrust upon her, and the care of her own precious baby taken summarily out of her hands.—Louisville Post.

How the Money Goes.

It is unsafe to allow any ordinary woman to enter a store with money. She has such a craving for luxuries, such a contempt for mere necessities, that she almost invariably purchases the former and despises the latter.

She goes forth to purchase an opera bonnet because she is going to the opera that very night, but her eye is caught by a tea gown, a bargain gown, and she buys it. That night some man seated behind a Galahesborough with many plumes swears. She goes out to buy a jacket, needing one sorely, but her erratic fancy is caught by lace trimmed underwear, and before she realizes it she is revelling in new nightgowns and corset covers. She has been known to go out to buy writing paper and to return with nothing but a blue and white cup and saucer.—Philadelphia Times.

Smoked Cigarettes Thirty Years.
"People talk about cigarettes being unhealthy, but the fact that I am still alive is proof to the contrary," said a middle aged man. "I began smoking them 30 years ago, before they were made in this country, and before they were imported. It is a farce to the time when there were no American cigarettes, and I feel old when I look back to it. I ought to add that I have never inhaled the smoke of cigarettes, which perhaps accounts for their not killing me long ago. I may also add, in strict confidence, that the reason I have smoked cigarettes is that cigarettes and pipes make me sick!"—New York Sun.

So He Did.

Lord Salisbury, while on a visit to his nephew, Mr. A. J. Balfour, M. P., in Haddingtonshire, amused himself by playing golf. One day the noble lord struck too low with his iron and asked his caddie:

"What have I hit?"

The youngster, who was without reverence, gruffly made answer:

"Scotland!"—London Globe.

Short.

She—The origin of the use of the term "storing," applied to English money, is lost in obscurity.

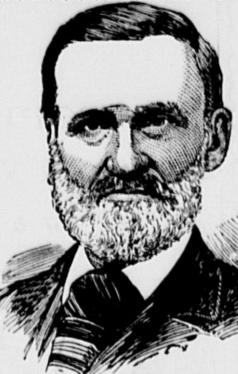
He—So is money, so far as I am concerned.—Detroit Free Press.

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Spring Medicine.

Are You Prepared
for Spring?

It is necessary to prepare yourself for the advent of spring, by taking a spring medicine. The author of this article, Hon. L. P. Strickland, of 38 Taylor Street, Calais, Vt., will

"I have taken Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy," he says, "and I feel like a new man. It has cured me of a long-standing trouble, including, cold feet, and shortness of breath. I have also had a fistula for over twenty years, and Dr. Greene's Nervura has not expressed how thankful I am that I used this wonderful remedy."

*He was cured by
Dr. Greene's Nervura
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HON. L. P. STRICKLAND.

How to Get Well
and Keep Well.Do You Feel Weak,
Tired, and Nervous?

The wonderful cure of Mrs. J. M. Earle, of North Calais, Vt., will

"I had a sore sore on my breast," she says, "and was very short of breath, and was terribly nervous. I used Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy, and soon perceived a wonderful improvement. The sore entirely disappeared, and my general health was greatly benefited. I used to be afraid to leave my bed, but now I am not. My heart used to be so bad that my husband was obliged to jump up and go for the doctor, but now I can get along without him. I would be alive on his return. But this is now all gone, thanks to Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy. It is as tough as a bear. Let all who are sick take this wonderful medicine."

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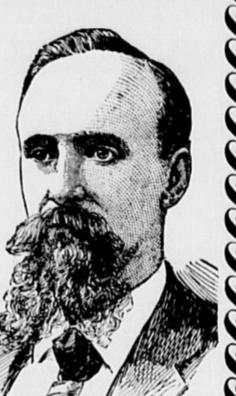
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*Mr. John Mather, of 423 Broad-
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I expected to die and have no doubt but that the aid of Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy, I should have been saved. I used Dr. Greene's Nervura, and at once noted the change. The pains left me and my nerves were greatly strengthened. I am a well man, and can do a hard day's work. I have the greatest faith in Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy. Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy is the greatest and most harmless remedy I have ever seen."

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INCREASING LENGTH OF LIFE.

*Modern Heroines at Least Are Longer
Lived Than Jane Austen's Were.*

Is the human race becoming longer lived despite the fret and fever of modern civilization? It is an interesting question, and it may very probably be answered some day by science in the affirmative. The longevity of professional men is now generally considered to be greater than that of farmers or mechanics. In other words, intellectual activity, although in many respects more exhausting than physical, has in the main a salutary effect upon the human frame. It is well known that a woman is more likely to be a long-lived mother than a grandmother, and a grandmother must remember that she had to be initiated in her superior baby training before she could pose as an oracle, and would she have been pleased to have had her authority wrenched from her by a wiser somebody who scorned her methods and ridiculed her lack of wisdom?

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

MAKING PROGRESS.

An order to raise \$30,000 for the use of the Commissioners in the construction of the sewers was started on the Friday last Monday evening and will in time pass no doubt. So far so good. But the opinion is expressed that it ought to be pushed as rapidly as possible and to that end special meetings should be held and the money gotten into the hands of the Commissioners at the earliest possible moment, for after that a month probably must elapse before breaking ground. This really means that the work of digging will not begin much before the middle of May, and the loss of valuable time. It is, according to President Converse's ruling on Mr. Breslin's motion, the Commissioners have no alternative but must give the work to contractors, as that phrase is generally understood, then there must be considerable delay after the money order is passed in getting ready for the laborers. Hence the call for haste on the part of the Council.

The Sewerage Commissioners contracted last September before the pipe combination was formed for 13 miles of pipe with Portland manufacturers at very favorable figures, some of which has arrived in this city and is being taken care of by Maj. H. C. Hall at the Simonds grounds and buildings on Main street. It is from 6 to 15 inches in diameter, of excellent quality, and delivered subject to test.

They have contracted for cement at 95 cents which Major Hall says was selling for \$1.07 last summer. It is of the best quality and warranted.

No bargain has been closed for bricks, but the Board are considering some favorable figures from Mr. Clarence Littlefield, as well as bids from other parties. The above material was, as we understand it, bought with money appropriated by the city government last year. It was judiciously used.

A large amount of material having been provided for the only obstacle to an early beginning of work on the sewers is the want of money which ought to be assured by prompt action on the part of the Council.

Concerning the plans of the Commissioners as to how the work will be done we know nothing. It is perfectly safe to say however, that the best interests of the city will be carefully studied by them; that the sewers will be well built; and that no extravagant price will be paid for them.

Professor Harris, United States Commissioner of Education, treating of the progress of common schools in the April number of Harper's Magazine, advocating individual promotion, the system introduced into the Woburn schools by their present Superintendent, Mr. Thomas Emerson, says: "A school that permits such poor classification [marking time] by the bright scholars], or that does not keep up a continued process of readjusting the classification by promoting pupils from lower classes to those above them, certainly has no claim to be ranked with the schools organized on a modern ideal."

That is exactly Supt. Emerson's idea.

For some reason or other the city authorities did not consider it worth while to ask the JOURNAL for a bid on printing the annual reports. The JOURNAL knows to a dot who the man is who is answerable for this, and it is equally certain that he will not be in a position to repeat the slight and insult next year. The Committee are probably blameless, but the same cannot be said of their agent.

Perhaps it is now too late to try for an amendment of our city charter by this Legislature but Mayor Allen was on the right track when he moved in the matter. It is conceded on all sides that the charter needs repairing in several important particulars. The necessity of radical amendments or new draft will soon become imperative.

On March 28, the Boston Daily Publishing Company issued the first number of the *Boston Daily Standard*, which they announced as "an independent, clean, fearless newspaper." There is a wide field in Boston for such a publication and, properly managed, the *Standard* will be sure to succeed.

Mr. J. Wesley True of North Woburn is talked of as Chief of Police. We do not know that Mayor Allen is talking that way but quite a number of others are. Those who know Mr. True say he would make a good Chief.

The Medford Times has suspended. Many attempts have been made to buck against the *Mercury* of that city but they have proved short lived.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

S. R. Niles—Chocolates.
Co-operative Bank—Meeting.
J. W. Hammond & Son—Clothing.
Royal Clothing Co.—To B.P.
Five Cents Savings Bank—Meeting.

Next Monday is "April Fool Day."

Read the notice of the Five Cents Savings Bank in this paper.

This region of country has enjoyed elegant spring weather for a week past.

Good second-hand carriall for sale. Apply at Hammond's Clothing Store.

April 9, is when the Friday Night Club will give their dramatic entertainment.

Evidently a bitch somewhere prevents the choice of a member of the Water Board. It is an important position and only the best kind of a man should be chosen to fill it.

The Woburn Music Society are going to give a great musical treat on the evening of April 5.

The dramatic entertainment by the Friday Night Club has been postponed to Tuesday evening, April 9.

Bring the babies and children to the Lowell Studio if you wish to have prettily posed and delicately finished photographs.

The re-election of Mr. G. F. Hartshorn City Engineer was a good thing all round. He is a faithful and efficient public officer.

We had flattered ourselves that we knew all that was worth knowing about weather, but after the experience of yesterday we give it up.

Charles R. Rosenquist, 36 Green st., Woburn, sells New Sewing Machines for \$10.00 and up. Any first class model for \$30.00. Call or write—It.

At the Ladies' Charitable meeting on Thursday, at 4 p. m., will be read entitled "Impressions of Florida."

Those mackintoshes at Copeland & Boyer's look very inviting on a rainy day. Almost anybody can have one for they are sold at low prices.

The old stock company of the Friday Night Club will ill leading parts at the entertainment on Tuesday evening, April 9.

The Committee on Printing will award the contract for printing the annual reports tomorrow. It is reported that the Committee are short on funds.

The ladies of Woburn will glad to know that when in Boston they will always find a full assortment of Lowney's famous chocolates at 19 West street.

Herbert W. Saunders, a customer of the Woburn Steam Laundry, Richardson Brothers, attempted suicide at home at East Somerville last Saturday evening.

Woburn was numerously represented at the State House yesterday. Legislative consideration of the Woburn Police Commission bill was what drew the crowd.

Miss Marian T. Hosmer went to New York last week to visit an old school friend. Last Sunday she was the guest of Prof. F. H. Giddings of Columbia College.

Mr. E. J. Gregory, a prominent real estate dealer, says he doesn't yet discover any signs of a land boom here this spring. He thinks the business is looking rather dull.

Mr. A. M. Colby presided at the A. P. A. meeting last Wednesday evening and Rev. W. J. Day of Somerville made the principal speech. There was a large attendance.

A fire at 10:35 Sunday evening destroyed the Spaulding bar on Willow st., in Cummingsville which was owned by the Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank. Loss \$500. Insured.

Mr. Cyrus Lamb, carpenter and builder, a resident of Malden since last December, has returned to this city to reside permanently. We are glad to have him come back.

Will thunders never cease? Another snow storm last Wednesday night! We don't know what to call it; it is a bit early for "robin storms" and rather late for the genuine article.

Mr. Charles M. Strout is able to go to store every day but not without the help of crutches. His injured ankle is still bad and it will take some time for it to get back into its normal condition.

Commodore John Ferguson, Clerk of the Board of Assessors, an excellent gentleman, is suffering from an attack of gripes. Members of his family were down with it last week and now he is taking his turn.

Mr. F. H. Lewis has not been engaged as organist at the Orthodox church. The Music Committee and Mr. Lewis could not quite agree on terms. Mr. Lewis will play in a Back Bay church this coming summer.

A number of Daughters of Rebekah of this city visited Good Will Lodge of Wakefield on the evening of Mar. 21. They with others from Stoneham and Somerville were sumptuously entertained by the Wakefield ladies.

The ball given by the Woburn Encampment, I. O. O. F., last Wednesday evening was like its numerous predecessors a fine affair and notable success. Mr. Alvah Foster is the head man of them, and he generally makes a success of whatever he takes hold of.

At 3 o'clock next Sunday afternoon Mlle Petrescu will give a private representation before Medical Faculty and Professors of Boston at the Lyceum Theatre, in demonstration of Darwin's theories that man is a quadruped and a quadruped at one and the same time. Mlle Petrescu will be the demonstrator.

Mr. W. A. Hyde of this city was chosen President of a new Boston Charitable institution organized last week called the Young Men's Auxiliary to the Boston Free Home for Consumptives. There is a female Auxiliary here in Woburn; that of which Mr. Hyde is the President is a Boston affair, or perhaps one of more general scope.

We were glad to see Mr. Amos Cummings, the merchant, out on the streets last Tuesday. He has had a long pull of severe sickness and at one time was considered in a dangerous condition, but he weathered the cape and is getting back to his old health again. People were well pleased to see him around once more.

It will not be allowed to pass out of the mind of the public of course that the second great concert by the Woburn Musical Society is to be given on the evening of April 5. No danger of that. Everybody is too much interested in it to allow of such a thing to happen. From all accounts we conclude that it is going to be the crowning musical event of the season. Artists of superior merit and fame have been engaged for special parts, and the home talent is the best that we have. "Fair Ellen" will constitute the principal performance, and it is said to be a fine production. F. H. Lewis is the conductor of the Society, and Mrs. F. H. Lewis is the pianist.

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An interesting paper might be written on the express business and companies here in Woburn and the wonder is that the local reporters of the Boston dailies haven't thought of it. With their ready wits and racy pencils they could produce wonderfully fascinating yarns about the subject, and we ask, in all candor, why don't they do it?

The Towanda Club are on their mettle. They are striking into spring business with a grand space. Capt. E. C. Leathie has laid out a fine programme for April. On March 31 runs will be made to Silver Lake and Wakefield. April 7, Malden and Lexington. 14, Waltham and Fresh Pond. 19, Concord, 21, Chestnut Hill Reservoir. 28, Lynn.

The Lamson & Hubbard "Young Men's, 1895" is the nobbiest bar worn—or as the young gents say, "it's a 'Hammond & Son sell it in all sizes and colors. And every other style too that is worn. Hammond & Son are called "Principal Clothiers" and that is what they are. For the latest of everything in their line Hammond's is the place to visit.

The State Inspector of Savings Banks overhauled the Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank last Friday. Of course he never heralds his coming beforehand, and he puts in an appearance at odd and unexpected times, but he found Treasurer Thompson and his Bank all ready for him to inspect, which duty he performed and left, evidently finding money, collars and books OK.

Rev. John W. Day delivered an address at the celebration of the 150th anniversary of the organization of the Second Parish of Hingham last Sunday evening. Ex-Gov. Long also delivered an address, and a large number of prominent people were present. Rev. John W. Day is a brother of Mr. George A. Day, Cashier of the Woburn First National Bank, and of Myron A. Day of Montana.

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We have often made the remark in these columns that Woburn people gained nothing by going to Boston for their carpets for the reason that equally desirable goods, in quality and style, have for several years been sold at Mr. C. Willard Smith's store in every case as cheap as and in many instances cheaper than the Boston prices.

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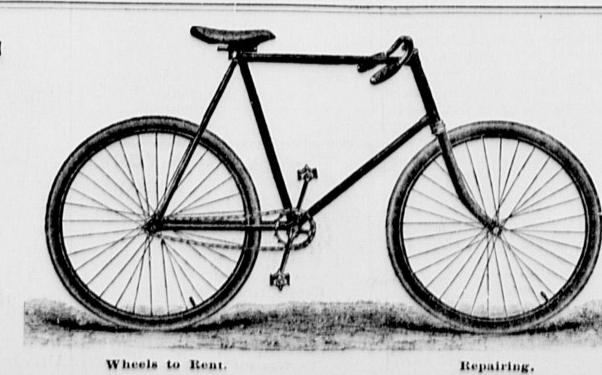
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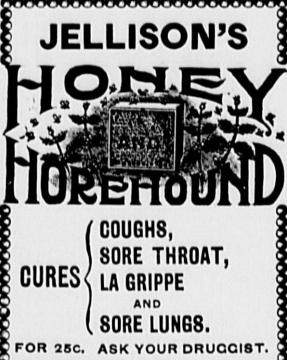
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EDITOR: WOBURN JOURNAL: Having been interested in reading the historical articles of local interest which often grace the columns of your paper, I have sometimes been tempted to "offer some remarks," or "take up the pen." Judging that some others of your readers, as well as myself, find rich and spicy morsels in dry old documents, I will, from time to time, copy a few old Deeds, the following one, drawn up in "the Reign of our Sovereign Lady Anne."

HENRY SHELDON.

Wilmington, Mass.

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